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Fair tonight.
Sunday warmer,
cloudy,
probably rain.

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CHURCHES TO WAR ON DIVORCES

Bishop Manning Says Time Has Come to Act

New York Churchman Ad-
vocates an United Stand
by All Creeds to Stem the
Tide Toward Free Love.

High School Ball Team Practicing

The High School baseball team started practice Wednesday. A wealth of material responded to Coach Jilks' call for candidates, and from these he hopes to pick a team that is capable of representing the High School on the diamond. Five letter men are back and these will help considerably in building up the team. Among those who have shown their talents on the ball field are Benazzi, Horne, the Farleys, Bass, Campbell, Wilson, Winniker, Taylor and others.

The first game of the season has been arranged with the All-Stars team of this city, this team representing a bunch of former High School players who have been trained for the position, and are hopeful of coming out winners. This game is to be played at Stonewall Jackson Park, March 24th, and promises to be a live contest from start to finish.

Many other games have been booked by Manager Franklin who expects to give out his schedule in the near future. He has arranged for seven or eight good games to be played on Danville's home lot.

Right Rev. Burke Dies at 76 Years

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 17.—The Right Rev. Maurice F. Burke, bishop of the St. Joseph diocese and the oldest Catholic bishop in the United States, in point of service, died here today. He was 76 years of age and had been ailing three years.

—Miss Anna Adams, Whitmell, Va., and Misses Barbara Schwab, Bertha McCullom and Susie Geoghegan, of Harrisonburg State Normal, are spending the week-end with their parents.

DATE OF REVIVAL CHANGED

A revival meeting at Rock Spring church will begin next Wednesday night instead of on March 19th as originally proposed.

War Department Authorizes Use Of Battle Flags

29th Division's Streamer
Will Bear Inscriptions
"Meuse-Argonne" and
"Alsace".

No Action By U. S. Over Reparations Is Called For

WASHINGTON, March 17.—State Department officials have received a statement of Germany's position regarding reparations but they declared today that the information as delivered yesterday by Dr. Hans Heinrich Dieckhoff, counsellor of the German embassy, called for no action on the part of the Washington government. The information presented was characterized as a statement of Germany's position without any request for action by the United States. Officials said they would make no reply nor would they call it to the attention of the French government.

These inscriptions are designated for all four of the infantry regiments—the 113th, 114th, 115th, and 116th; and for the three machine gun battalions—the 110th, 111th, and 112th; and for the 94th engineers and 104th field signal battalion. The 104th supply train, 104th sanitary train, and the divisional headquarters train are also officially credited with service in these two engagements, but have no colors, and therefore do not have streamers. The 111th, 112th, and 113th field artillery, the 104th trench mortar battery, and the 104th ammunition train, while participating in the theatre of operations from the middle of July, 1918 to the time of the armistice, were not engaged in any of the major campaigns and are not entitled to any inscriptions for their battle streamers.

The use of streamers to denote service dates back to the revolution. It was formerly the custom for each unit to bear attached to its colors a different streamer for every engagement in which it had taken part; but due to the multiplicity of the streamers acquired by some regiments it was decided to have only one, and to put suitable inscriptions on that for each campaign.

Under this arrangement, the War Department has been charged for the past year to take in, compile the completed streamers, records of all the streamers sent to France, and issuing them time to time in the general order the official records of the various divisions with authorization for the appropriate inscriptions to be attached to the regimental colors.

The record for the 29th division shows that the service rendered in the Meuse-Argonne was from October 5th to October 30, 1918, while from July 25 to September 23 the greater part of the division was in combat service in the Center Sector, for which the Alsace inscription was awarded.

The twenty-ninth, which was trained at Camp McClellan, Ala., was a national guard division and was composed of about one-fourth Virginia troops, one-third New Jersey, a fifth Maryland, and the remainder from the District of Columbia and replacement troops.

Organized late in July, 1917, earlier than any other division except the first, the 29th was the twenty-fourth to reach France, getting across late in the following June.

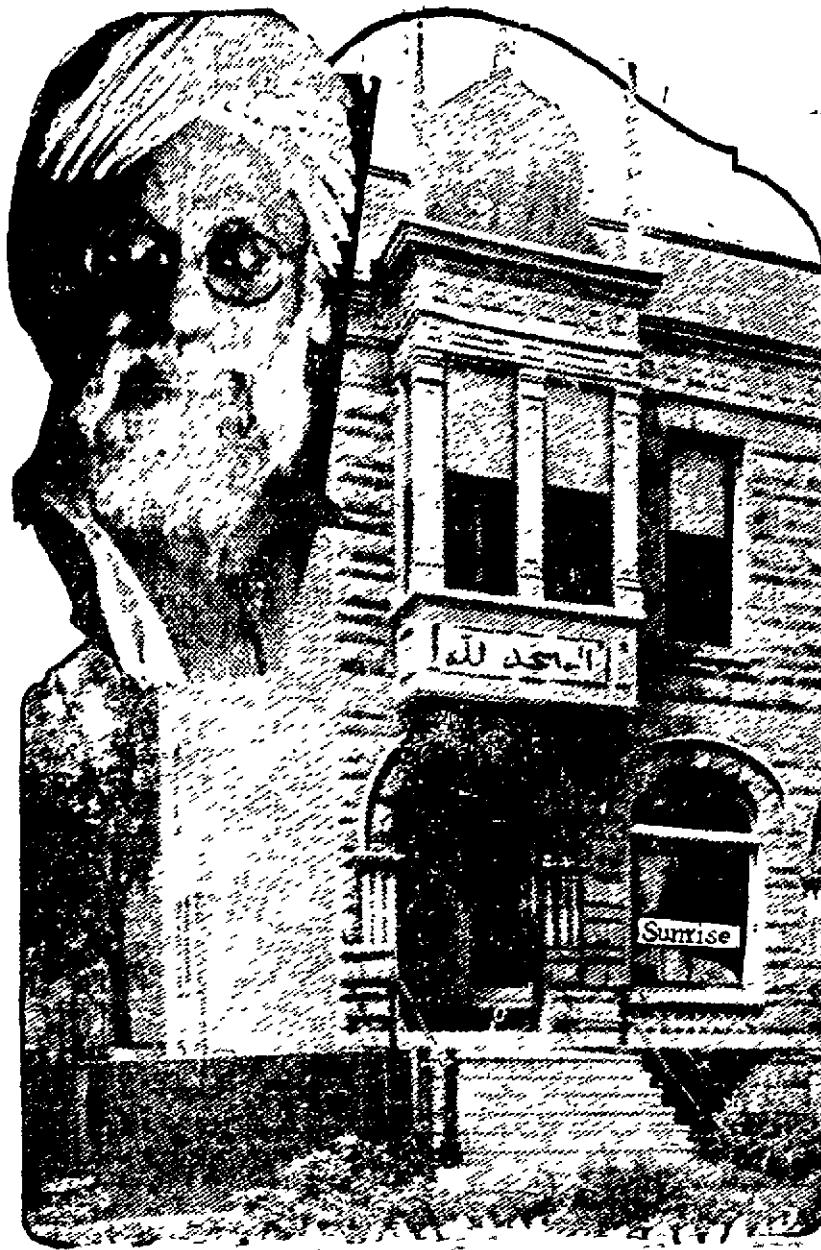
Acquitted Of Larceny Charge

Mrs. Rose Graham and Mrs. Tom Horner indicted for stealing cloaks from the store of R. P. Rippe were acquitted by juries which tried them in corporation court yesterday afternoon. Judge Kep has certified to the juvenile court for trial the case of Doc Farmer who is charged with wounding Scott Wooten. The accused is under eighteen and under the present law is beyond the province of the corporation court.

Golf Club members, regular Saturday dance, 9-12.

COMMITTEE TO GRANT HEARING

Islam Draws Converts in Chicago



Muhammad Saadie (inset) is pastor of what is thought to be the only Mohammedan mosque in the United States, shown above. Muhammad's parish is in a crowded district in Chicago. He says he is drawing many converts.

THRILLING RESCUE AT MILTON OF TWO BOYS CAUGHT IN DAN RIVER

The Schoolsfield police department appealed to vigorously this morning for a man who arrived here in an automobile from Milton, N. C., who said that two small boys in trying to ford Dan river at that point had passed the depth of the river, swollen heavily by the heavy recent rains and were lodged on a log in the middle of the swirling stream which was gradually reaching them. Officers went to the scene to assist, it is understood. The messenger said that efforts had been made to reach the boys on a raft and to get a line to them but the stream was running so rapidly that they could not be reached.

The horse and buggy in which they had tried to ford the stream had been swept away, it was reported, and the horse drowned.

Efforts made this afternoon to obtain full particulars were only partially successful. Milton once the metropolis of a big area has no telephone communication with the outside world, and the nearest point which could be reached was Estelle which is some distance beyond Vanceville towards Milton.

Countryman Ready
To Meet Charges
In Rockingham

Carl G. Countryman, wanted at Leavenworth, I. C. on the charge of embezzlement was lodged in Danville jail this morning. He arrived with Deputy Sheriff Bob Dillon from New York and will be taken to Reidsville this afternoon.

Countryman managed to the deputy sheriff left here for Wentworth at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. The accused, who showed the effects of recent confinement, said that he had no statement to make relative to the charge that he embezzled \$425 from the Boulevard Bank of Leavenworth. "I may have a statement to make later," he added. He stated, however, that he would be prepared to meet the charges but did not feel disposed to discuss his affairs until he has retained counsel.

Countryman said he had recently been abroad lecturing, travelling through Europe. He also said that he had been in Mexico.

Deputy Dillon said that the examination was successful and after several yards of red tape had been unbound. This necessitated the presence in New York of the cashier of the Leavenworth Bank and it was this which resulted in the delay in bringing the accused back to North Carolina.

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Local Tobacco Season Closed On Yesterday

While the bells of the Danville auction warehouses rang the knell of the present season yesterday, it was decided by the sales committee of the Danville Tobacco Association to have one more sale this season, this to be next Thursday at all of the warehouses now operating on the auction system.

The step was taken because of the fact that a number of shipments of tobacco by freight have been delayed and because of the fact that wide-spread news is some rural sections has prevented the farmers from getting their tobacco in. This sale will be unofficial that is, the number of pounds sold will not be included in the record of the season which closed today. The final sales this morning were unusually light and sales were concluded early.

Figures for the entire season given out yesterday afternoon showed that the total amount of tobacco sold was 27,471,432 pounds, or \$8,787,784.93, the average being \$31.23.

The season will long stand out as one of acrimony of rival claims and rival championship for the auction and the pool methods. Danville early in the season when the lines were tightly drawn took the broader view and declined to commit itself to either of affording to farmers who for years have come to Danville the opportunity of selling at the disposal of their tobacco in the way they thought best. The city comes through a trying period with clean hands after affording an equal opportunity to both sides of a clear cut issue.

While the Auction men formally closed the season today the 'pool' will continue to operate for the acceptance of deliveries until the last day of this month.

The annual meeting of the Danville Tobacco Association will be held early in the coming month when John H. Hanes, president of the organization, will review the year.

One of the directors of the Danville Warehouse Co. was interviewed yesterday in regard to the future of the auction system. He said that all the warehouses of the Danville Warehouse Co. would be operated the same as they have been during the past season; that the board of directors is reviewing the statement for the past season at a meeting held Thursday were more than pleased; that the past season had been such a success that the common stock had been put on a six per cent basis or double that of the preceding year, that the same officials and directors who had managed the company for the past year were all reelected at the annual stockholders meeting.



H. E. SPESSARD TO SPEAK AT KEEN STREET

An unusual opportunity will be afforded the membership of the Keen Street Baptist Sunday school, though the instrumentality of Robert H. Hall, president of the Baraca class, the secretary of the Schoolcraft M. C. A., has been selected to deliver an important message to the Baraca class and the general Sunday school. Mr. Speppard is well known in welfare work, a forceful speaker, clear thinker, and holds a personal interest in the welfare of the schools as well as the churches, and his message will be more than an incidental talk. The school will have an opportunity of profitably and intelligently message. Since the organization of the Baraca class, under its president, Mr. Robert Hall, and the teaching of Mr. Ed. O. Hall, its teacher, the class has grown numerically as well as in interest. Its membership is about fifty in number with an excellent average in attendance.

All men not connected with any other Sunday school in the city and visiting Baracans, are given a cordial invitation.

One of the present movements of the Baraca class is an early erection of a modern Sunday school building for the class with all conveniences to its members.

STIFFER EXAMS FOR TAX AUDITORS

The U. S. raising higher his requirements for internal revenue accountants. Announcements just issued by the Civil Service Commission of an examination throughout the country on April 1 for auditor. Income Tax, which includes both auditors in Washington and agents in the field service, calls for four years' commercial accounting experience as a prerequisite to entrance to the written examination, which doubles the former experience requirement. Those who qualify in the examination are given additional training at Government expense, and a permanent work period provided the supervisor of experienced auditors. The Government is thus making a determined effort to have tax accountants and taxes assessed by a body of thoroughly competent accountants in order that the returns may be audited with speed and accuracy.

Full information regarding the examination, and application blanks, may be obtained from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. or the secretary of the board of U. S. civil-service examiners at the post office or customhouse in any city.

M. F. McKinney Jr., Local Secretary Postoffice, Danville, Va.,

RICHMOND MAN IS ASPHYXIATED

(Special to The Register)
RICHMOND, Va., March 16.—Robert O. Waldbauer, age 24, shipping clerk in a company business, was found asphyxiated here today. He had reached the office and was in a gas humor. He was in his office, a gas jet being found open. The man had fallen in the floor and cut his chin, and it was believed that he had tried to light the gas and fell again, a tabe, rendering himself unconscious. He leaves a wife and young child.

PRAYER BRINGS BACK THREE KIDNAPPED CHILDREN TO HER

(Special to The Bee)
FRANKLIN, Tex., March 17.—For 56 years Mrs. Pollyanna Busby, 56, has prayed nightly.

She has asked her three sons, who died at the close of the Civil War, to return.

Now the three sons, grown to manhood and fathers of families, have been reunited with their aged mother. It looks like a queer twist of fate.

But, says Mrs. Busby—

"It is only an answer to my prayers. It is a proof of the potency of prayers."

Here is the story—a story equal in its pathos and heart interest to Little Nell's tale of Evangeline and Gabriel.

In 1865 Mrs. Busby was living happily in Meridian, Miss., with her three sons—William, 3, Henry, 5, and Stephen, 4. The father, a Confederate soldier, had been slain at Vicksburg.

Texas Emigration On.

At that time vast numbers of families in the war-torn Confederacy were emigrating to seek their fortunes in Texas.

One of these emigrants was the Meridian village doctor, William H. Hall, and the two older Busby boys, interestingly enough, the physician as he loaded his meager household supplies into his ox-cart.

"Jump on, boys, and I'll give you a ride," said the doctor.

That ride, did not end until the boys, their resistance conquered by blows with ox-whips, reached the doctor's claim in Texas. There they were reduced to the status of peons, laboring on the farm without pay and subjected to cruel mistreatment.

They finally effected their escape. Working on a farm to farm, they reached the Oklahoma frontier.

There they grew to manhood. They labored hard, saved their earnings, married, bought farms, prospered.

One Enters Clergy.

William, a man of strong religious convictions, finally became a Baptist minister.

Meanwhile, back in Mississippi, Stephen, the youngest son, too was stolen and taken to Texas. He escaped, went to Oklahoma and settled on a farm there.

More than a quarter of a century ago, Henry and William learned of Stephen's identity.

They believed their mother had emigrated to Texas.

At the beginning of this year their search for her was still on. Henry, now 66, was a farmer at Okemah, Okla. Stephen, 64, was prospering on his land at Thackerville, Okla.

Grandson Starts Quest.

William, now 69, was living the quiet life of a clergyman at Mangum, Okla. His eldest son, H. G. L. Busby, his wife had heard the call of the church and had been ordained a minister.

On the shoulders of the younger man William unloaded the task of seeking the long-lost mother.

Young Busby became pastor of a charge here in Franklin. In his spare hours he traveled miles into the surrounding country, stopping at every farmhouse and inquiring for information of his grandmother.

Finally, on an errand of mercy, Busby stopped one night for food at an isolated farmhouse near Marquez. Repeating his question, he told the farm woman of his quest.

"Why, there's a woman just a piece down the road who spent her life hunting for her three sons," said the farm woman.

Leaving his dinner untouched young Busby leaped into his sliver and went to the indicated farmhouse. There he found Mrs. Busby—now Mrs. Dukes, for she had remarried.

She told Busby her story. "You are my grandmother," he said.

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Calvi Thought "Mad" When He Told of Troth

MILAN, March 16.—Friends and fellow officers of Count Giulio di Bergolo, prospective bridegroom of Princess Jolanda, firmly believed that the count was insane when, due to frequent leaves of absence previously granted, his superiors at first refused to permit him to go to Rome for the official announcement of the betrothal until he divulged his secret, according to an apparently authentic story that is now going the rounds.

The future husband of the princess is a captain in the army and is subject to the usual military rules. Therefore he was continually asking for leave and going off to Rome or to San Remo, Italy. When the royal family spent some part of each year, his colonel began to be disturbed.

Finally the captain received an invitation from the princess to come to Rome for the official ceremony of the betrothal, as she had succeeded in obtaining the consent of her family.

On the strength of this Count Giulio Bergolo went at once to his colonel begging that he might go immediately to Rome on a matter of the utmost importance. His request was refused.

Undaunted, the count remarked: "I am very sorry, Signor colonel, but you do not grant me the permission I ask for just the same."

To which came the answer: "And I, on my part, shall be obliged to place you under arrest!"

The count, realizing that he could not explain his position, kept on insisting. The puzzled colonel interrupted him impatiently: "What urgent affair can there really be which forces you to ask for this leave?"

"Well," answered the count, after a moment's reflection, "I will speak to you not as to a superior officer now, but as to another gentleman. I know that you will keep the matter secret. Tomorrow I am to be betrothed formally to the Princess Jolanda of Savoia."

This speech overpowered the colonel, and the captain took his way directly to the station. The colonel was convinced that his subordinate officer had gone suddenly mad. He summoned several other officers, told them, and the general opinion was that sudden insanity had seized their poor friend.

The count first went to Turin, and it was proposed to stop him there by telegraph. Then it was decided to inform his father and have the count released under restraint. As it happened, the only people who knew the secret of the count were the parents of the count, and they were able to reassure the colonel while at the same time the newspapers gave out the news of the engagement.

In marrying outside of royal family the Princess Jolanda of Italy is doing as several other ladies of the House of Savoia have done. There have been marriages with the princely family of the Colonna and with other members of patrician families. Princess Anna Teresa married Prince Charles de Rohan in 1741, and the daughter of Prince Luigi, Victor of Savoia, married a member of the family of Prince Giovanni Doria Pamphili and the Prince Lambaldo. The latter fell a victim to the French Revolution. The youngest sister of this family was one of those who contracted a marriage with the Colonna, and she led a life of great brilliancy at Rome and Naples.

THE COTTON MARKET.
(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Mar. 17.—There was further heavy month's liquidation in cotton contracts today, and the price were 14 cents lower to 3035, higher than sold off to 3037 on the call and October 26-29 but there was little if these figures encouraged by a quiet from South and prospects of unsettled weather in the Southwest.

Cotton futures opened steady.

Mar. 3050

May 3085

July 3015

October 2670

December 2615

NEXT WEEK'S WEATHER
(Special to The Bee)

RICHMOND, Va., March 17.—Rain over south and rain or snow over north portion beginning of week and again about Tuesday evening generally fair, decidedly colder Monday and Tuesday followed by rising temperature middle of week.

Stock Report

Stock List By Courtesy Thomson & McKinnon, Brokers, Southern Amusement Building, Danville, Virginia

Sales to Noon

Anaconda Copper	51 1/4
Allied Chemical & Dye	78 1/2
Amor Smelting & Refining	65 1/4
American Beet Sugar	48 3/4
American Locomotive	148
American Tel. & Tel.	123
American International	30 1/4
American Linseed	34 1/4
American Can	102 1/4
American Tobacco "B"	154 1/2
American Woolen	101 1/4
Bethlehem Steel "B"	128
Bethlehem Steel "B"	68
Baltimore & Ohio	53 1/4
Canadian Pacific	147
Chandler Motors	71 1/4
Cosden & Co.	60 1/4
Corn Products	121 1/4
Central Leather	38 1/4
Continental Can	45 1/4
Crucible Steel	81 1/4
Chile Copper	27
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	do pfd.
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	42 1/2
Chicago, N. W.	86
Consolidated Textile	13 1/2
Cook-Johnson	75 1/4
Eric	19 1/2
Famous Player-Lasky	87 1/2
General Motors	17
General Asphalt	51
Great Northern pfd.	78 1/4
Gulf States Steel	97 1/2
Houston Oil	71 1/4
Hudson Motors	31
Int. Mar. Marine	11
International Paper	55
Kennecott Copper	42 1/2
Missouri Pacific	17 1/2
Midwest States Oil	46 1/2
Midvale Steel	11 1/2
Medicar Seaboard	31
Michigan Oil	17 1/4
Norfolk & Western	13 1/2
North American Co.	11 1/2
Northern Pacific	98 1/4
New York Central	48 1/2
Penns. Kanza	44 1/2
Pacific Oil	81 1/4
Pan-American Petroleum	20 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	62 1/2
Pere Marquette	28 1/2
Producers & Refin.	54 1/4
Royal Dutch N. Y.	52 1/2
Reading	78 1/2
J. C. Reynolds' B	61 1/2
Ray Consolidated	15 1/2
Replogle Steel	27 1/2
Retail Stores	81
Sinclair Oil & Refining	38 1/2
Southern Pacific	92 1/2
Studebaker Corporation	125 1/4
Standard Oil of Calif.	60 1/2
Sears Roebuck	59 1/2
Southern Railway	33
do pfd.	69 1/2
Shelly Oil	31 1/2
Sloss-Shet Steel & Iron	52 1/2
Tobacco Products	82 1/2
Tobacco Prod. "A"	82 1/2
Texas Co.	25
Texas & Pac. Co.	25
Union Pacific	21 1/2
U.S. Ind. Alcohol	14 1/2
United States Rubber	12 1/2
United States Steel	62
Vandam Corp.	107 1/2
Virginia Coal Chem.	22 1/2
do pfd.	67 1/2
Wilson & Co.	40 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	64 1/2
Wabash pfd. "A"	21 1/2
Carbide	65
Total sales 450,000 shares	

SEARCH FOR PRIEST
EAST ST. LOUIS, March 17.—A thorough search was made of a neighborhood by police here today. It was reported that the Rev. Father Vraniak, missing priest of Vandalia, Illinois, was reported to have been seen in the neighborhood yesterday. The authorites announced the search failed to reveal any clues as to the whereabouts of the priest who disappeared mysteriously March 5th while in St. Louis, Mo.

NUMBERS OF CO-OP.
ASSOCIATIONS INCREASE
MINNEAPOLIS, Mar. 16.—The number of co-operative marketing association in Minnesota have increased from 350 to 450 in the last year according to state agricultural officials. These associations have hardened the distribution of millions of dollars of farm products

ALLEGED COMMUNISTS ON TRIAL IN MICHIGAN



This picture shows a group of the alleged communists and other political extremists now on trial at Benzie Harbor, Mich., charged with violating the state anti-syndicalist law. Left to right: Max Bedacht, John J. Ballan, G. A. Schuilenberg, Ella D'oor, William Weinstein, Rose Pastor Stokes.

Saunders Ruling On Co-op. Tobacco Fully Set Forth

State Auditor's Opinion
Concurred in by Saunders
Given in Correspondence
With Commissioner of
Revenue.

The attitude of Attorney General John F. Saunders on the question of State taxes on tobacco held by the Cooperative Marketing Association is fully expressed in correspondence which has recently passed between Prior G. England, commissioner of the revenue of Danville, and C. Lee Moore, state auditor of public accounts.

Brief reference was made a few days ago to this ruling concurred in by the attorney general, the sense of which is, that the tobacco held by the association is exempt from State tax, although, of course, the real estate owned by the association is subject to the tax.

Mr. England many months ago realized that the Leno's point would have to be solved sooner or later before the commissioners of revenue started the work of assessing property and he wrote as early as May, 1922, to the auditor of public accounts asking him for an opinion in order that he could be guided. The state auditor replied at that time saying that as the matter was one which would require very careful consideration, he would let Mr. England know when he had reached a decision. Many months passed and no opinion was given.

On January 16th Mr. England again wrote to Mr. Moore and reminded him of the open question pointing out that the question, as he understood it, was whether the question would have to be met and declaring at the same time that the whole question hinged on whether or not tobacco pooled could be regarded as still in the hands of the association. The intent of the General Assembly of Virginia not to tax the property so held or the business conducted in my opinion conclusively and expressly indicated by the act of February 18th, 1922, in which act the General Assembly, judging from the terms employed therein exhaustively considered the question before it and specifically and at length wroto into the law the privileges conferred in the minutest detail.

A footnote to this opinion over the attorney general's signature says "I have examined into the question of taxation of the Tobacco Growers Cooperative Marketing Association and of the opinion that the conclusion reached by the auditor of public accounts as to the tax on the foregoing letter, the question would have to be met and declaring at the same time that the whole question hinged on whether or not tobacco pooled could be regarded as still in the hands of the producer."

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"This association is not subject to a State merchants' license tax because it buys nothing, its business being to sell tobacco placed with it for sale, nor is this association subject to any other State license tax because it is not engaged in any business upon which the State imposes a license tax."

"The remaining question to be passed on is whether the property (tobacco) in the possession of and

under the control of this association is subject to the taxation imposed by the law of the State upon capital or other property, real and personal. This association, if it owns real property, is subject to the State and local tax on real estate. The personal property of this association consists solely of tobacco, the tobacco being placed with it by producers who have not individually parted with their property except conditionally to the association of which each and every producer is a member and there can be no member of the association other than a producer.

"From time immemorial the law has expressly exempted from taxation grain, tobacco and other agricultural productions in the hands of the producer of the same, and has expressly provided for the taxation of grain, tobacco and other agricultural productions in the hands or possession, legal or constructive, of a purchaser. It is therefore my opinion that the tobacco of the producers is in their possession, as a producer and, consequently, the association, the business of which is confined to the selling of the tobacco of the producers only, the producers being the only members of the association. The intent of the General Assembly of Virginia not to tax the property so held or the business conducted in my opinion conclusively and expressly indicated by the act of February 18th, 1922, in which act the General Assembly, in regard to filing out his personal tax return. In dismissing the warrant, the mayor warned Wong that he would have to go to Mr. England's office at once and answer the necessary questions or be subject to a fine not less than thirty dollars."

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COURTMARTIAL OF GERMAN OFFICIALS



Photo by B. E. Hoffman, Camera Artist, Associated Press
Heavy penalties have been inflicted by French military authorities on German officials suspected of aiding the resistance of natives to the invaders. Photo shows Generalmeister Hayenstejn (indicated by arrow) of Oberhaupt receiving a three-year sentence from the French military court at Esca.

Mrs. Buchanan is Held For Action By Grand Jury

BY GEORGE H. MANNING
(Special Correspondent of Danville Bee)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 17.—Mrs. Margaret Beverly Buchanan, former secretary to Congressman Kendall of Pennsylvania, whose claim to relationship with the old Virginia Buchanan family was repudiated by Lt.-Governor-Governor B. F. Buchanan, was held for the grand jury on a charge of forging the instruments on Veterans' Bureau checks following a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner George H. McDonald.

Only two witnesses were called by the prosecution in making out its case for holding the woman. M. P. McInerney, Chief of the Special Investigations Section of the Veterans' Bureau, and Mrs. Martha Warfield, formerly employed by Mrs. Buchanan as a cook, whose name is alleged to have been forged to the checks, made out its case.

According to their testimony, Mrs. Buchanan assisted the colored woman in getting her claim for compensation for the death of her son through the Veterans' Bureau. Three checks, totalling \$1,000, were presented as evidence. The checks were drawn to the order of Martha Warfield and addressed to the office of Congressman Kendall.

Testimony brought out that the negro had never seen the checks, although her name was endorsed on them. She said the handwriting was not her own. In the presence of McInerney, Mrs. Buchanan is said to have turned over to Mrs. Warfield \$1,063, the amount of two of the checks. The woman said she had never received any money from the third check, which was for \$550. This payment of \$1,063 was made after the Veterans' Bureau officials had accused Mrs. Buchanan of forging the name of Martha Warfield and had obtained a confession from her according to the testimony.

The money which Mrs. Buchanan turned over to the colored woman, upon demand of the Veterans' Bureau, was obtained on a check drawn by her on a Georgia bank, and carelessly cashed after Congresswoman Roy Fitzgerald of Ohio had endorsed it. The bank returned the check unpaid, and Fitzgerald had to make good the \$1,063.

Judge Clement this week

dismissed the grand jury to make

an inquiry in the county jail from

which several prisoners recently

escaped. The grand jury's findings

were that the jail was "in very good condition" and that "through some carelessness or over-

sight" of the jailor the men got away.

Judge Clement, however, is reported

as being not satisfied that the

Stuart jail is a safe place to keep

prisoners and he has asked the board

of supervisors to make an appropri-

AUTOMOBILE NEWS

LABOR REPORT
IN HAWAII
ANGERS JAPS

HONOLULU, T. H., Mar. 16.—The report of the federal commission, which recently investigated labor conditions in the Hawaiian Islands in connection with the resolution pending in Congress to permit the importation of otherwise ineligible aliens to counteract an alleged labor shortage, was subjected to considerable criticism by the Japanese language newspapers here, according to translations on file with the territorial attorney general.

The report said the commissioners had found no labor shortage in the pineapple or sugar industries but that a shortage was apparent in the rice industry. The Japanese newspapers objected, particularly in their editorials, to the paragraph of the report which stated that attention should be called "especially to the menace of alien domination and that the present policy of parental adoption and the importation of 'picture brides' by the Japanese should be stopped because these practices have defeated the purpose of the 'gentlemen's agreement' to curtail common labor by preventing the supply to such an extent that it will soon overtake the territory, numerically, politically and commercially."

The Nippon Jiji expressed regret that "the members of the labor commission have swallowed the wicked propaganda of the interests and have harped on the alleged Japanese menace in their report. We did not believe that the commission which investigated the actual conditions would make such a report. This is another instance of the result of reckless propaganda, of men who care only for the end and not for the means."

The Hawaii Hochi said that the report will "please the capitalists, and it impresses all that Chinese coolies will be imported." Like the Nippon Jiji, it believes that the commission "swallowed the materials fed to it by the agents of the sugar planters."

The Hochi continues: "The fact that the labor probes have distorted the facts and presented the false argument of Japanese domination has completely shattered the writer's strong faith in the labor leaders who, he believed, would never misrepresent the truth. In all classes there are honest and dishonest men. But the writer did not believe this applied to the leaders of labor organizations, which consider themselves the creators of a new age."

The Hawaii Shimpou attacked the declaration of the report that the Japanese control the building trades as well as most of the small stores of Hawaii.

It was pointed out that there are 177 Japanese merchandise stores as compared with 58 American, and 29 Japanese theaters as against 6 American in the Shimpou said: "What is ridiculous to compare an American firm like American Factors, or T. H. Davies and Co., with a small Japanese store, or to compare the new Hawaii or Princess theaters with the Asahi or Park Japantown theaters."

The report, after all, is nothing but interpretation, as far as the Japanese problem is concerned. "Laborers in Hawaii can rest assured that the labor organizations on the mainland will not sanction a measure which will be of great advantage or benefit to the capitalists. The so-called Japanese menace is most annoying to the Japanese laborers here, but since the report has no material effect on the workers, they should not be restless and should keep up their movement for higher wages."

ECONOMY IN P. O.
SERVICE OF U. S.

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Postmasters throughout the country were notified today by Postmaster General New that the strictest economy commensurate with public convenience would be observed.

This is to be practical during the next few months to avoid postoffice departmental losses for the current year.

The notice sent to postmasters in the department announced was in line with the cutbacks of supplies and extra service made necessary for the remainder of the present fiscal year as a result of a deficiency in funds.

Calling attention that Congress is not in session and that no further appropriations will be available until June 30, in end of the fiscal year, the Postmaster General said:

"The constantly rising volume of mail in all sections of the country has gone beyond the expectations of the department as well as the director of finance. The country is in a bind and the department is bound to be in line with the cutbacks of supplies and extra service made necessary for the remainder of the present fiscal year as a result of a deficiency in funds."

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The great problem of the post office department is in the opinion of Mr. New is to so administer the postoffice that it will be ever more and more in the interest of the public to use the post office.

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TO FILE BILLS OF INFORMATION IN KLAN CASES

(By The Associated Press) NEW ORLEANS, Mar. 15.—The purpose, intention of the state of Louisiana to file bills of information and proceed with the prosecution of those whom it has evidence in the Morehouse Parish Ku Klux Klan outrages," was the announcement of Attorney General A. V. Coco on his arrival here today from Bastrop where he went on March 5 and presented to the grand jury the testimonies obtained at the open hearing there in January concerning masked band activities in that parish. The jury reported yesterday to Judge Fred M. Odum that the evidence submitted was not sufficient to find indictments against any particular individual.

"We are extremely disappointed because I believed and was confident that the state had made out good cases," the attorney declared. "But this action by the grand jury does not end the matter by any means."

Mr. Coco said he would issue no further statement until after a conference here probably next Tuesday with his assistants and State Senator H. E. Warren, Shreveport, special counsel for the state in the case to determine their future course.

Governor John M. Parker, when reached by telephone at Baton Rouge declined to have anything to say concerning the action of the grand jury or future action contemplated by the state's legal forces.

Attorney General Coco will make any statements that are to be made," he said. It was generally believed that any trial of the masked band cases resulting from information filed by the state authorities would be shifted out of Morehouse Parish on a change of venue to one of the nearby district districts, possibly Monroe in Ouachita Parish.

CONDITION OF BISHOP
TUTTLE UNCHANGED

(By The Associated Press) ST. LOUIS, Mar. 15.—The condition of Bishop Daniel S. Tuttle, who is suffering a severe attack of grippe at his residence here was announced as unchanged tonight. It was stated the aged prelate had a restful day.



"When the stormy winds do blow"
So goes the old sea song, and it would be good advice to add

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We can get the best quality Fertilizer put out by some of the oldest and most reliable companies in the business at the following prices, f. o. b. Norfolk, Va., and Alexandria:

16% Acid Phosphate	\$12.00
10-4	\$15.00
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3-8-3 Tobacco Special containing of Potash	\$25.75
4-8-4	\$28.80
Nitrate of Soda	\$54.00

Other goods in proportion in car lots of 15 tons or more. The freight to Richmond is \$2.90 per ton. Per ton to Keysville, Chase City, Randolph, Danville, Cet., \$3.38.

Write me for price delivered to your station and the names of companies from whom we are ordering. I am ordering hundreds of tons for farmers in this section. Watch Wednesday's paper for large advertisement.

John W. Ponton
BEDFORD, VA.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

Cabell Street Memorial Methodist, Rev. O. B. Newton, pastor. Largest Sunday school in Southern Virginia meets at 10:30 a. m. Splendid school orchestra under leadership of Dr. Raymond Seugars. Organized department classes for pupils of all ages. Brotherhood Bible class for men, the largest in the city, meets at 10 o'clock, subject to be discussed. "By This Sign Conquer." Sunday school classes at 11 a. m. An illustrated sermon for children and young people. At 7:30 sermon by the pastor; theme, "Following Christ After Off." Prayer service at 3 p. m. in Brotherhood Bible class room.

Lee Street Baptist Church, Sunday school at 9:30, J. H. Winkler, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by Rev. J. T. Betts, B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:30. The public is cordially invited to attend each of these services.

Moffett Memorial Baptist Church, C. J. D. Parker, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., T. W. Williams, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Every Sunday is the best, let's keep it so the whole year through. Let all come to Sunday school and all stay for church. The three B. Y. P. U.'s, are trying to do each other.

Stokesland Methodist Church, Rev. S. E. Jones, pastor. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Services at 7 o'clock.

Mount Vernon M. E. Church, South. J. Callaway Robertson, pastor. J. Carson Watson Sunday school, 10 a. m. Lenten services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. evening service at 7:30 p. m. At the evening hour the sermon will be by Dr. O. L. Clinton, friend and associate of Dr. John R. Mott in the international program of the Y. M. C. A. Dr. Clinton has a wonderful message. Escalders 6:45. Mid-week service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Jefferson Avenue Christian Church, Charles L. Garrison, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. S. B. Hall, superintendent. Sermon and communion at 11 o'clock, subject of sermon: "The Break of Day." Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:45 and evening worship at 7:30. Topic of sermon: "Buried Treasure."

Calvary M. E. Church, South. Joseph T. Allen, pastor. The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and Rev. S. J. Battin will preach at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Herbert M. Martin, superintendent. Organized Bible classes for men and women and all other departments. Epworth League at 6:45. Prayer service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

Third Avenue Christian Church, Rev. P. T. Knapp, pastor. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. J. S. Sivier, superintendent. Come and bring your friends, you will find a cordial welcome.

Keen Street Baptist Church, Rev. J. Clyde Holland, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. W. C. Chaney, superintendent. J. E. Lester, assistant superintendent. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. Mid-week prayer services Wednesday night.

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Shelton Memorial Presbyterian Church, corner N. Main and Thomas Street. Sunday school at 9:45. Lenten service at 11 a. m. evening service at 7:30 p. m., by Rev. A. W. Shaw, of Mebane, N. C. C. E. Society, 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Farrar Street Mission Sunday School at 3 p. m. All are invited to attend these services.

International Bible Students' Maccabean Hall, Craighead and Patton streets. Sunday morning 10:30 study the Word of God. Wednesday night, 7:30 study, "The Harp of God." Prayer meeting: "Welcome."

First Presbytery Church, Services morning and evening, conducted by the Rev. Joseph Dunlopson, D.D. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Geo. P. Geoghegan, Jr., superintendent.

"JACK OF ROYAL MOUNTED" COMES OUT VICTORIOUS

BY JEFF BUCKLEY
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WINNIPEG, March 16.—After a long battle that has been punctuated with as many cheers and hisses and his adventures in the films, "Jack of the Royal Mounted" today has foiled the villain and come out victorious to shouts that echoed from the parliamentary benches in Ottawa to the backs of the Indians and the French of Hudson Bay. But in this city there is not dearth of applause despite the fact that it is the home of the villain in the piece for it is the labor representative from Winnipeg who has played the thankless role in an attempt to disband the royal Canadian Mounted police and thus rob the world of more courage, honor, romance and thrilling footage than can be produced by any other institution shown in filmdom.

It has been a long and vicious scrap, with as much interest as Jack's own film career and as uncertain of outcome as when he is lured to the deserted cabin, overshadowed by the outlaws, stripped of his regiments and left a prey to the wolves that can be seen howling in the cut-in.

In the present struggle, as on the screen, the villain has been on top more than once and Jack isn't quite out of the woods yet, though the vote in parliament virtually finishes the red and brings a daylong ending with a few hours for the villain. The villain, in the shape of the labor representatives and some Liberals, have made some dastardly slurs on the hero's reputation. Instead of riding for beauty and honor in distress or king and country, in emergency, Jack has been accused of doffing spurs and six shooters to look through key holes while ignorant and not innocent reds gather and even sneaking into respects for their meetings and trying to sell "forbidden literature" in order to "frustrate" unemployment.

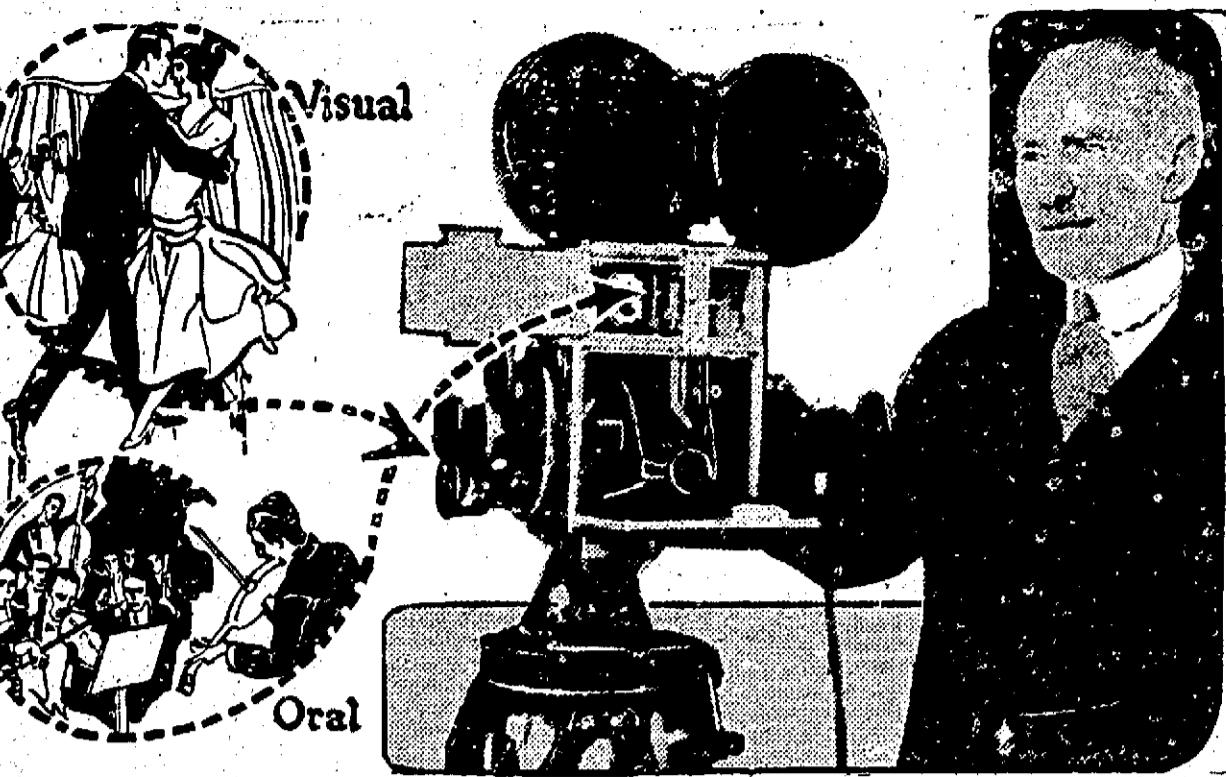
With what might be interpreted as a villainous sneer, the Winnipeg member suggested that if the mounted police have to listen in on private meetings, they might better have a certain financial institution which recently went up in smoke.

The mounted police have a right under the criminal law to seize property of organizations considered communists. The defamers of public opinion that some of the property seized in the King's name has apparently been held in the Jack's. This has been denied, but one gentleman is still said to be looking for a large and valuable library which disappeared like a maverick in twilight.

However these accusations have been satisfactorily answered and it appears that Jack will be restored to the saddle with boots, spurs, riding crop, six shooter and all. The Royal Mounted will be back in top form before long and to prove it makes a comparison between his Alaskan domain and conditions on the Yankee side of that boundary.

—Mr. and Mrs. Green Penn have returned from a visit to Madison, N. C.

Inventor Puts Music Into Film



DR. LEE DE FOREST AND HIS MOTION PICTURE CAMERA WITH PHONOFILM ATTACHMENT, WHICH IS SHOWN IN UPPER CHAMBER (WITH DOOR THROWN BACK) WHERE VOAL AND MUSIC-AL SOUND WAVES ARE PHOTOGRAPHED ALONG WITH THE SAME FILM UPON WHICH, IN THE LOWER CHAMBER IS PHOTOGRAPHED THE VISUAL.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Talking movies, perfected by Dr. Lee de Forest, after years of experiments by many inventors, are not going to revolutionize photoplays.

"The public doesn't want the actors to talk in film dramas," he says. "They want pantomime in movies and they will always have it. What my invention will do is not to change the movies as they are, but to open a new field of entertainment and education."

This disclaimer of reputed designs to "vocalize photoplays" was made by Dr. de Forest, in an interview with NSEA Service, at the first demonstration of his visual-voal film to be made in this country. For four years he has been working abroad on the "phonofilm," which he will show before the New York Electrical Society in March, and publicly at a Broadway theater in April or May.

"The silent drama can be improved by adding the voice," he said. "Movie actors are either untrained in dramatic speaking or are wholly incapable of it. In the early days the motion picture tried merely to photograph the ordinary drama of the stage, but it was a dismal failure un-

til a new and novel type of drama was created to fit."

"Now comes the phonofilm," with sound photographed on the same film that carries the picture. Musical and vocal sounds are reproduced perfectly synchronized, however, it will not affect the photoplay of pantomime, except to develop a new field in which scenario writers may work acoustic effects as can be successfully brought out."

Dr. de Forest exhibited sample films, showing dancers and an orchestra, the music sounding as if it came directly from the screen.

"That is the field for the present," he said. "Movie audiences will hear—as well as see—operettas, symphony orchestras, popular bands, concert singers, famous virtuosos, public men, dancers, and others who heretofore have been available in person only to the few, and to the many only by means of phonograph records or radio voices is obscured."

"Only in such instances is the present-day motion picture lacking. Photoplays as they now exists, perhaps might be improved by the actual reading of letters and telegrams where they occur, or by one or two words or

JERSEY CANAL WAS ADVANCED

(By The Associated Press)
TRNTON, N. J., March 16.—The proposed New Jersey Ship Canal, the final link on the Atlantic-Indian waterways connecting Florida and New England, was advanced one step nearer to reality with the passage today by the Senate of the House bill giving to the board of navigation and commerce \$875,000 received by the state from the Lehigh Valley Railroad, in connection with the abandonment of Morris Canal. Construction of the canal has been promised by the federal government after the state has acquired the right of way.

MRS. COFFMAN ILL SEVEN YEARS

Saved from an Operation by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Sidell, Ill.—"I was a nervous wreck. I was suffering from a pain in my left side, which was almost unbearable, and I could not even let the bedclothes rest on my body at night. I had been sick for seven years, but not so bad until the last eighteen months, and had become so rundown that I cared for nobody, and would rather have died than live."

Pictures for the De Forest film are taken in a soundproof studio by an ordinary motion picture camera, in which sound waves have been translated into electric currents and thence into light waves. Reproduction is by an ordinary projection machine supplied with a voice attachment, which translates the light waves back again into sound waves, which are amplified and produced through invisible horns under the screen.

Sound is photographed on the edge of the film at a distance 10 inches further along the film strip from the point where the picture is photographed, but the reproducing devices are the same distance apart in the projection machine, causing synchronization.

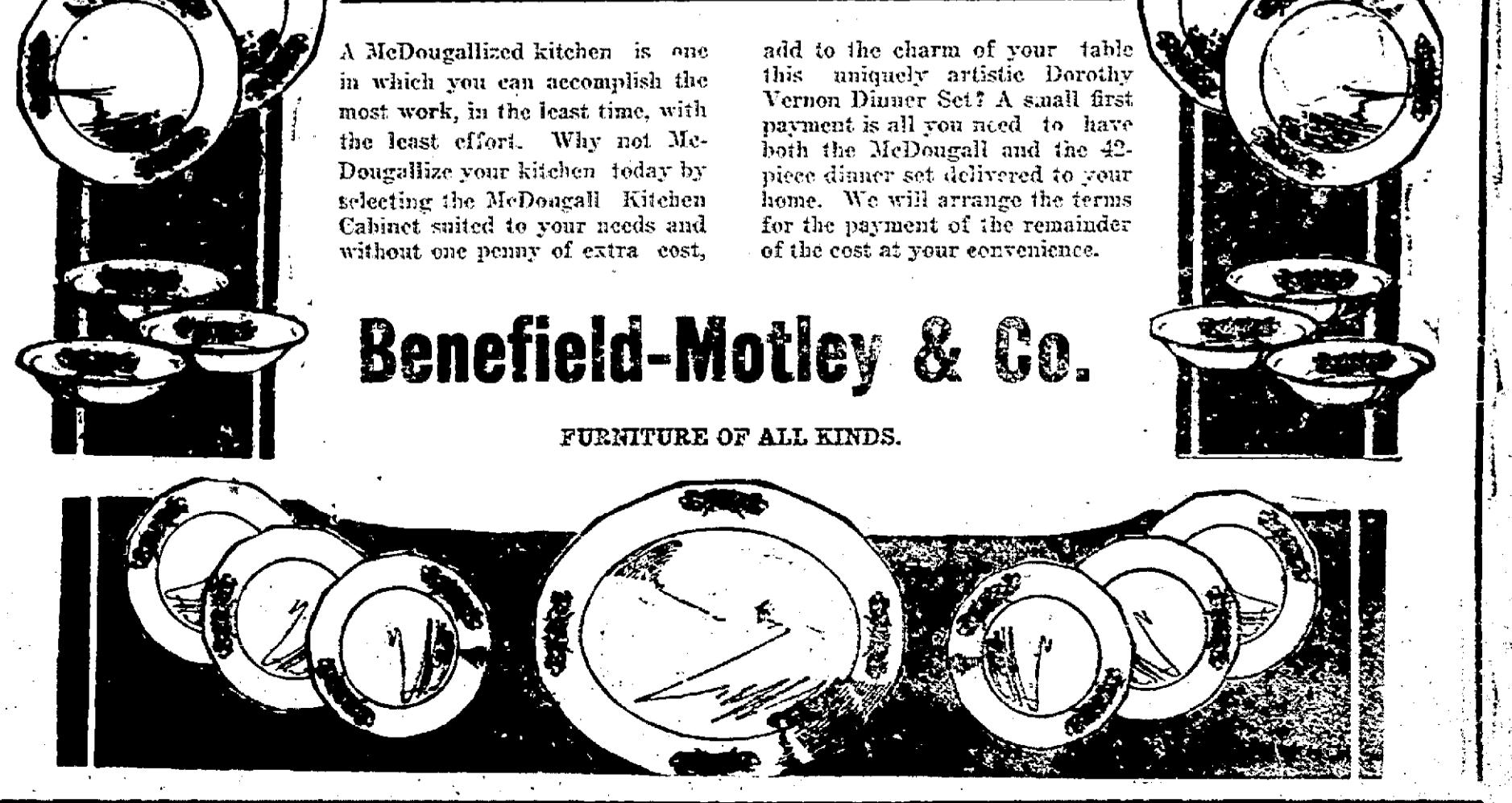
Mrs. IDA M. COFFMAN, R. B. 2, Sidell, Ill.



Beginning Saturday and continuing next week we are able to make this special offer to our patrons. To every one who buys a McDougall Kitchen Cabinet, regardless of its low price, we will give absolutely Free this handsome set of Dorothy Vernon Design Dishes. It is not a "cheap premium set," but one to grace any hospitable table.

Dorothy Vernon Dinner Set Consists of

6 9-inch dinner plates	1 1 1/2-inch vegetable bowl
6 7 1/4-inch lunch plate	1 7 1/2-inch fruit bowl
6 tea cups	1 cream pitcher
6 tea saucers	1 sugar bowl
6 individual bread and butter plates	1 5 1/4-inch dessert saucers



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Fellowship of Prayer

Daily Lenten Bible reading and meditation prepared for Commission on Evangelism of Federal Council of Churches

SATURDAY

Fellowship Through Faith

Have faith in God. Mark 11:22. Read Mark 11:20-23.

“Faith is the stone upon which all other stones are built.”

EDIFICATION.—Our prayer of faith will be answered if we are in right relations with God and with others. The current of God’s Will which flows from God to his children will be blocked if we have unforgiving hearts, one for another. Do I have “outrage against anyone?”

HYMN:

My faith looks up to thee,
Thou Lamb of Calvary,
Savior, Sire!

Now hear me while I pray,
Take all my guilt away,
O let me from this day

Be wholly thine.

PRAYER.—Lord Jesus Christ, who has commanded us not to return evil for evil, but to pray for those who hate us; enable us by thy blessed example to offer a true prayer for those who have wroth us harm. If in anything we have given offense, teach us to confess our fault, that a way of reconciliation may be found. Deliver them and us from hatred; and may the peace of God rule in all our hearts for evermore. Amen.

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1923.

CHILDREN OR TAXES?

The people of Danville have a matter of grave importance before them at the present: THE EDUCATION OF THE CHILDREN OF TODAY AND THOSE OF THE NEXT GENERATION. We do not know the amount of additional taxes needed, but we do know that the Danville school facilities are not what they should be. If the plans of the school board will give the city what is required and an increase in taxes of twenty cents is necessary for the carrying out of these plans then the taxes should be raised this amount.

The people of Danville should not sit idly while a small group of citizens, composed mostly of those who own large amounts of real estate in the city are fighting the increase in taxes which means fighting to deny Danville having the schools it should have or otherwise trying to deny our children the opportunity for an education they are entitled to.

Has it ever occurred to the people of Danville that when any movement is started to improve the conditions of our city there is always a fight by a small group of property owners who have considerable property with few exceptions have no children that would be benefitted. It appears to us that the action of these few citizens is merely selfishness.

If the children of Danville are not given the best school- ing possible there is a responsibility that rests on the shoulders of every citizen of our city. When we are born into this world there are certain responsibilities that rest upon all in properly providing for the generation to follow, and we believe that the proper schooling of children is the most important. Schooling has more to do with shaping the character and moulding the moral side of men and women, than anything else. With the unrest that exists throughout the world, it is very important that as many

persons as possible be given the advantage of an education. When radical movements start if it was not for the educated people, these movements would soon sweep the whole world. It is up to the people of Danville to decide and to decide immediately if they desire to sacrifice important advantages for their children merely for the sake of a few dollars. Citizens should not tolerate the selfish action of a few who try to block the progress of a city the size of ours.

Scoop's Column

DRAKES BRANCH, March 17.—(Granville Wireless)—St. Patrick's Day and Irish stew! Last day for the Ground Hog to stay in his hole! Plant early potatoes on Monday, weather permitting. It won't be long 'till springtime and apple blossoms Open season for hog jowl and turnip salad. Keep up with the procession! Junius! Watch your step.

What we need most is co-operation!

When Tom Turner and Cyclone Peter faced each other in the maw of the City Hall last night they were competitors. They knew it, too.

When two contractors submit bids for erecting the same building they are competitors, usually.

But, when the makers of Old Crow vie for sales with the makers of Old Taylor they thought they were competitors. That was a mistake. Their real competitor was a proposition to pass an amendment to the Constitution now known as the Eighteenth Amendment.

How was the manufacturer of pot-liquors years ago to know that by 1922 most women would not be wearing “trousers”?

The livery stable that became a garage knew what to do about competition.

The real competitor, therefore, is the person or thing that gives your customers something they want more than the thing you have to offer them.

BEAT THE OTHER FELLOW TO IT! That's the answer. Co-operate with advanced ideas and develop foresight—hindsight always takes care of itself.

Use the accelerator in climbing a hill!

RAISIN AND A CAKE OF YEAST



Farmer Al Falfa made some brew; His favorite has imbibed it, too. And therupon they both flew high, Had strange adventures in the sky. Met with a fierce three-headed cat, Danced with some mermaids after that. Then sobered up and said, "By gum That home brew makes you travel some!"

Moral: some forms of stimulation Bring travel, sport, and education.

—Scoop, Jr.

An Alternative:

An old lady describing the symptoms of her ailment to a noted but eccentric physician, said: "The trouble, doctor, is that I can neither lay nor sit."

Whereupon the good old doctor answered her thus: "Then, madam, I would respectfully suggest that probably you're roosting."

I lead a fast life, said the permanent color as it splashed into the tub and died.

Coming, Maybe:

Yes, there will be lasting peace With its gleaming glory— When the interests shall cease To be predatory.

Home Brew:

A rubber band with snap-tunes Jolted to death some old-time croons. The guttering of the gutter snipes Drown'd out the fire of organ pipes.

A pancake panned the frying pan. An egg broke and also ran: A picture swore it had been framed. The gold mine jumped for it had been claimed.

The leaves of all the trees had left The cliff, cut up, said "I'm cleft." A razor calm shaved an oyster raw And that isn't half of all I saw.

Barney.

Sayings of the Great: Adam—it was a great life if you didn't weaken.

Plutarch—I am sorry that I have no more lives to give to my country. Samson—I'm strong for you, kid. Jonah—You can't keep a good man down.

Cleopatra—You're an easy mark, David.—The bigger they are, the harder they fall.

Helen of Troy—So this is Paris Columbus—I don't know where I'm going, but I am on my way.

Salome (tiring of the dance)—Let's have done with the winkle and wobble. No—Keep the home fires burning. No—It floats.

Solomon—I love her ladies. Methuselah—The first hundred years are the hardest. Queen Elizabeth to Sir Walter Raleigh—Keep your shirt on.

Four sardines for every man, woman, and child in the U.S. States have been packed in Los Angeles canneries this year. It is announced, if any child, or even any man or woman, had that four are not enough, he can have eight, so far as Ed Oakes is concerned.

Some fellows while around home pack at a skelele all the time. Other fellows while at home pack at their wives all the time. And one makes her just as angry as another.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



OWING TO TWO FIRES IN THE PAST WEEK, MAYOR SIMON DOOLITTLE FIGURES ITS HIGH TIME TO MAKE SOME NEEDED IMPROVEMENTS AT THE FIRE HOUSE

Bride, 15, Loves Second Husband

Money being worthless, a German theater takes vegetables for admission. If change is given it must make the actors nervous.

"We are," I told him. "What can we do for you?"

The words had scarcely left my lips when I knew that we were in a trap. I realized it just in time to save my life. I struck with all my force at the ugly little black revolver which was thrust almost into my face. There was a report, a sharp pain at the top of my shoulder, and the revolver itself slipped from the man's crushed fingers. I was within an ace of having him by the throat, but he just eluded me. The touring car was now passing us slowly, and he leaped into it, leaving his helmet lying in the road. A third man, who seemed to rise up from underneath our car, tore along and jumped in behind, and they shot forward, traveling at a most astonishing pace.

Rimington shouted to our chafef through the tube with the idea of pursuing them. We started forward with a series of horrible bumps, and came almost immediately to a standstill. I sprang out. Both our back tires had been stabbed through with some sharp instrument. In the distance, the other car had rounded the corner, and with screaming siren, was racing away for London.

Janet Takes Up the Story: IT was toward the middle of October when I heard from my husband for the first time in many months. For a long time my luck had been atrocious. I lost the greater part of the money paid for the recovery of Mrs. Trumperton-Smith's diamonds, by an investment in a small mining business which I discovered, too late, to be already moribund. I had lost post after post for the same maddening reason. My looks had suffered through privation, and my shabby clothes were unbecoming enough; but if I had been Helen of Troy herself, I could scarcely have evoked more proposals of the sort which must bring to an end ordinary relations between employer and employee. My good relations began to weaken. I had almost made up my mind to appeal for help in quarters which would necessarily have meant the end of my more or less honest life, when one morning a young man who looked like a bank clerk was ushered shamelessly by my landlady into my bed-chamber. I was folding up a coat when they believe is working at the head of a dangerous gang.

It was no easy matter, however. All through the night I was haunted with fancies. The gorse bushes on the moors seemed like crouching men, the whistle from a distant railway station a warning of impending danger. In a small village before we arrived at Taunton, a man stood in the open doorway of his house, looking out at the night. He scanned us as we passed, and turned away. Through the uncurtained window of

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What do you want?" I asked coldly. "This is not a room in which I can receive visitors."

"My visit is one of business, madam," he answered. "Are you Mrs. Janet Stanfield?"

"I am generally known by that name," I replied.

He opened his pocketbook and counted out two hundred pounds in bank notes upon the table. I watched him spellbound.

"With the compliments of the bank manager," he said as he took up his hat and turned away.

"Who sent the notes?" I called out after him. "What bank is it from?"

"The bank of faith, hope and charity," he answered with a smile.

"Good morning!" He was gone before I could get out another word. I took up the notes greedily. I had done my best to live without my husband's help ever since certain news as to his doings in America had reached me. For some reason which I did not myself altogether understand, I had I thought, cut myself off from any association with him and his friends. Yet in my present straits my attempt at independence seemed hopeless. The money was a necessity to me.

I paid my landlady, and made her a present of my dilapidated wardrobe. I posted the art of knowing how and where to buy things, and before lunch-time that day I was installed in a small flat in Albermarle Street wearing clothes which were in keeping with my surroundings and with an evening dress and cloak to reserve. My neck and throat and fingers were bare, for I had seen nothing of my jewelry since our ill-omened adventure in Paris.

(Continued in Our Next Issue)

TOM SIMS SAYS

If the phone company ever runs out of wrong numbers it can get plenty off the income tax returns.

A firm in Rockford, Ill., will ship horses to Europe and this will be a horse on Europe.

Two marine aviators are planning to fly around the world. Join the marines and see the world!

A policeman's auto was stolen in Chicago while he wasn't in it, so they didn't get him.

About 100,000,000 stockings are made monthly from imitation silk. Now let the March winds blow.

Several senators were talking so fast when Congress adjourned they haven't been able to stop yet.

In Rome, two men got prison terms for making another drink castor oil. Small boy will wish we did as the Romans do.

Returns from the latest Mexican election show one dead and six hurt.

Dr. Sun, former Chinese president, is trying to rise again.

Too many cooks are still spoiling the Irish stew.

Bryant says wealth is a disease. We say it is hard to catch.

A boxer who was sandbagged by Detroit highwaymen was given no chance to defend his crown.

The song "Home, Sweet Home" will be 100 years old May 8. Yes, it was written by a married man.

Still waters may run deep, but troubled waters run the mill.

You ought to see the autos downtown at the rush hour. Especially before you cross the street.

Some men spend all their money to prove that they have it.

People longing for the good old days forget the lamplighter has given way to the lighter lamp.

Longer winter lasts, the longer it will be before hay fever.

Every now and then a woman saves a little by hiding her pocket-book where she can't find it.

Tipping over the salt or making fun of your wife's spring bonnet are considered signs of a fuse.

New mosquito killer calls them like a turkey call, but there will be enough without calling any.

When our government meets it deficit, it shakes hands, saying "My, how you have grown."

Since these archaeologists have quit digging up Old King Tut maybe they could dig up some of Old King Coal.

BEFORE THE RAIN

We know it would rain, for all the morn.

A spirit on slender ropes of mist Was lowering its golden buckets down Into the vapory amethyst.

Of marshes and swamps and dismal fens—

Scraping the dew that lay in the flowers,

Dipping the jewels out of the seas,

To scatter them over the land in showers.

We knew it would rain, for the pop- lars showed.

The white of their leaves, the arms

Shrunk in the wind—and the light- ning now.

Rabbit Punch May Be Outlawed in Prize Fighting

**Boxing Comm'n
May Forbid Blow
That Felled Brennan**

NEW YORK, Mar. 17.—Bill Brennan, the big heavyweight boxer of Chicago, who was stopped by Louis Firpo, the Argentine giant, at Madison Square Garden Monday night, in the twelfth round of a fifteen-round bout, and who yesterday morning was taken to the Jewish Memorial Hospital suffering from slight concussion of the brain, rested comfortably during the night, according to information from that institution.

Although charges were made that the bout was a "fake," Brennan was badly beaten about the kidneys and a big bump was raised on the back of his head. He was hit with what Robert Edgren christened, as the occupant punch. Since then it has been successfully used by Jack Dempsey, present heavyweight champion, and styled the "rabbit punch."

The blow is permissible, according to the present rules, but it is understood now that the Boxing Commission will take steps to have it banned in the State.

Brennan gamely walked around thirty hours after the fight. He went to the Garden to get paid by Promoter Tex Rickard. He complained of the bumps above his neck and only went to the hospital yesterday morning at 2 o'clock, upon the orders of his physician, because he was in such pain he couldn't sleep. After entering the hospital he was unconscious for four hours. He was later X-rayed when the slight concussion was found. His wife was telephoned for, as well as his young baby daughter.

Dr. Edward L. Spitzer of No. 884 West End Avenue, was called in consultation over Brennan's ailment.

"He received a terrific beating as if he had been hit with a sledge hammer. He was bruised all over. His left kidney was a mass of bruises and discolorations. The left side of his jaw was swollen, but the real trouble was back of the mastoid bone. There was a swelling over the parietal bone from the top of his head to his neck."

"Brennan was groggy when I was summoned by Dr. J. Townsend Travers to his office at No. 309 West 103d street where Brennan had gone. He said he had never received such a beating in all his boxing career. I thought he would get over it as he had other battles. He said that when his mouth was cut and Firpo saw the blood, the Argentine fighter's eyes became like balls of fire and he rushed at him like a mad bull. Brennan seemed to be still in a daze and I ordered him to the hospital at once. The diagnosis was concussion of the brain and the X-ray was used to determine if there was a bone injury. It showed no injury to the skull, but there was a swelling of the periosteum over the bone."

An old sprain of Brennan's right foot also was aggravated. It is too early to predict results. When I was an intern at Bellevue Hospital, I saw prize fighters come there two days after a battle with injuries that had developed after the fight, but Brennan's condition shows no cause for alarm."

Brennan told several persons he met that it was Firpo's right that did the damage and that wallop was created in a large measure to Trainer Jimmy De Forest, who said that in the eleventh round he knew Brennan had enough and ordered Firpo to cut loose in the twelfth. Firpo obeyed instructions and sent Brennan into retirement.

ONLY 2 STAND IN WAY NOW

(By The Associated Press)

CLEVELAND, Mar. 16.—Only W. T. Tilden, 2nd, of Philadelphia, and Miss Brenda Redstrom of Buffalo, N. Y., stood in the way of Greater Boston victories in all three of the national women's singles, doubles and mixed doubles championship tournaments. In the singles section, Miss Leslie Bancroft, the country's number two ranking player, and Mrs. E. E. Cole, 2nd, formed the local survivors of today's semi-final play. Each reversed early season difficulties at the hands of the opponents. Miss Bancroft, 6-0-2, from Mrs. F. H. Godfrey, who was fourth in Florida and Mrs. Cole defeating Miss Lilian Schramm of Brooklyn, victor in her home city recently 6-3, 6-2.

CONDITION OF JAKE DAUBERT IS IMPROVED

(By The Associated Press)

CINCINNATI, Mar. 16.—Jake Daubert, veteran first baseman of the Cincinnati Nationals, who has been seriously ill from influenza and pneumonia at his home in Pottsville, Pa., was slightly improved today, according to word received here. It was said Daubert will not be able to play ball even under most favorable conditions before May.

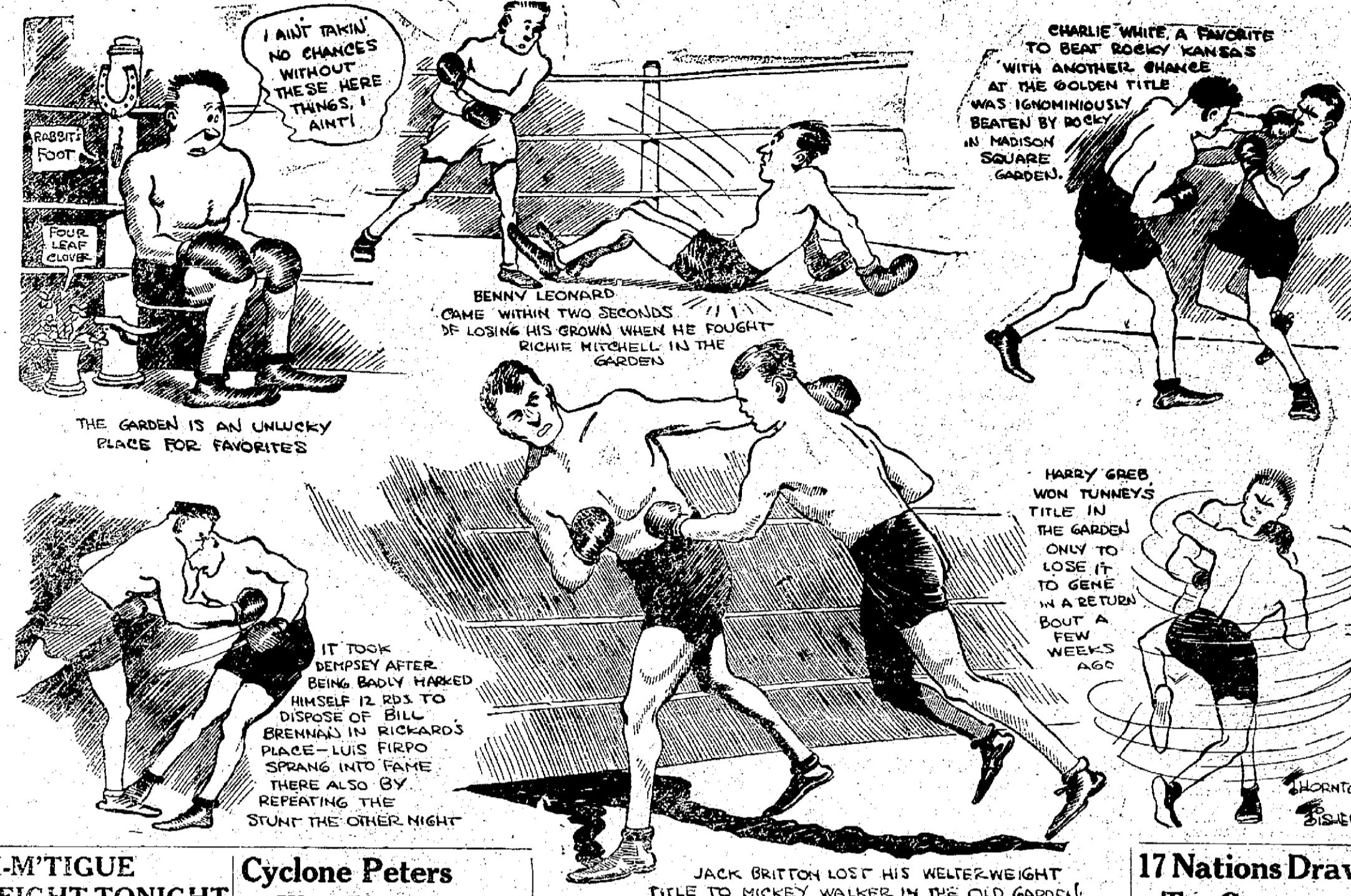
SPRING OFFICIALLY ARRIVES



Spring, if Marbles come, can't be far behind! This youth shown here is getting in a little practice for the important juvenile sporting event of the season—the marble tournaments.

A HECTIC PLACE FOR FAVORITES

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By Thornton Fisher

U. S. Tennis Assn. May Join Federation

NEW YORK, Mar. 17.—There are excellent chances that the United States Lawn Tennis Association will make formal application for membership in the International Federation of Tennis players at the meeting of the Association on Saturday.

This will follow as the logical result of the action of England in eliminating the "championship" of the world's designation from the tournament at Wimbledon. It was the appointment of this championship to England it was felt responsible for keeping the United States out of the Federation and at the same time was leading to unnecessary feeling by the English and American badminton.

With this bone of contention out of the way we have no reason for remaining aloof and in all probability will not remain. Our application would undoubtedly be cordially received and election to membership would probably be nothing more than a matter of routine.

Just New England that hurdle the fact that new Wimbledon was built with funds collected upon understanding that it would be the scene of world's championship matches since the absence of American players from Wimbledon would deprive the English Association of the world's top liners. It was perhaps felt that the physical presence of the Yankee stars was far more desirable also more valuable than resounding than albeit empty title. By a vote of the Federation the abolished title can be restored, at any time and that will probably be when a title match at Wimbledon is justified through the existence of a world's champion who is a Briton.

One of the curious facts about current inter-collegiate athletics is that Wisconsin, a university that has allied three conference coaches Zimble, Wile, and Stiehm, to conference institutions was obliged to look to Dartmouth when she wished to secure a grid iron mentor to replace John Richards, resigned.

Mrs. Molla Mallory hasn't been burning the courts with her lawn tennis on the River, but her presence there as player was a godsend to the people who have made considerably more capital of the ridiculous Lengen-Mallory rivalry than the situation warranted.

CRYSTAL RADIO SETS PICK UP AT 1,000 MILE

CHICAGO, Mar. 16.—Many records of long distance reception of music from radiophone broadcasting stations by receiving sets using a crystal detector have been made during the past winter, according to reports compiled here today by an interested radio amateur. While radio experts say such reception is not common, it is difficult to accomplish only at night, and with the weather conditions ideal.

The "crystal" receiving set, it was explained, requires no batteries for its operation and very few instruments. The crystal detector itself is a simple device using a small piece of galena metal—lead ore—to change the radio signal into an electric current and so change into recognizable sounds. The crystal is fastened in a holder and so arranged as to be in contact with a fine copper wire which is adjustable over any part of its surface.

India and Ireland and France vs. Dixit.

The six remaining European competitors will draw in the lower half first round matches bringing Spain against Rumania and British Isles against Belgium, Italy and Holland both drew first and paired in the second round.

Miss Lengen was magnificient in victory and Mrs. Mallory dignified and courageous in defeat, and when they shook hands with apparent cordiality after the match both were given hearty applause by the great crowd of spectators.

Mrs. Mallory refused to talk to the newspapermen, but Suzanne said she was overjoyed at her success, not because of the victory over Mrs. Mallory personally, but because it gave her the chance to go back to the American tennis arena.

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"Perhaps they will see the error of their ways now," she added, "and realize how unfair they have been to me who had to go on a strange court 48 hours after landing from the boat. I am sure Mrs. Mallory can play a better game than she did today. She was bothered by the light and other conditions to which she is unaccustomed."

"I was ill myself and depressed and could not play my best game in America, but that is ancient history. I bear no ill will toward anyone."

Miss Lengen said it was improbable that she would ever play in the United States again. She has received an offer of 40 p. s. for an exhibition match at Durham, England, and another offer of 200,000 francs for 12 matches in America.

"The Americans," she said, "must not lose sight of the fact that I would forfeit my standing as an amateur if I accepted their offer. As for Durham, that town must be near the Scotch border."

Miss Elizabeth Ryan, the California girl, reached the finals in the women's singles by defeating Miss Troppe of England today and will dispute the Riviera championship with Mlle Lengen tomorrow. Her prospects are not bright, for in the 22 previous matches between the two players, Mlle Lengen has won in straight sets.

Mrs. Mallory, in a tie with Wallis Lengen, was eliminated from the mixed doubles today by Miss Ryan and Rudolph Lengen, 6-3, 6-2.

Mrs. Mallory tonight said the river campaign had been of much benefit to her physically. She has entered the tournament beginning on Monday at Cannes, but Mlle Lengen is to compete only in the women's doubles, so there is no chance of another meeting between the two champions.

SWEET POTATO STOCKS DROP

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Mar. 16.—A decrease in size of sweet potatoes on hand March 1, in 1922, was noted by the Department of Agriculture. Stocks totalled 1,235,000 bushels compared with 1,317,000 a year ago. A comparatively heavy out-of-storage movement was indicated.

Stocks in New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia were reported as 230,000 bushels, compared with 35,000 bushels a year ago. In the southern main producing territory, comprising 11 states, stocks in 885 warehouses were 930,000 bushels, compared with 1,265,000 a year ago.

BANDITS GET \$21,000

(By The Associated Press)

ST. LOUIS, Mar. 16.—The amount of cash obtained this morning by six bandits in a daring holdup of the State Bank at Wellston, a suburb, was placed at \$21,000, tonight by Julius Kessler, president of the institution. John G. Hio, cashier of the bank, said the robbers refused to take several thousand dollars in silver, one remarking "we can't be bothered with



Here is a boy with a separate set of teeth for breakfast, dinner and supper. Five-year-old Joseph De Rama of Newark, N. J., is the owner and he's proud of them.

DIVORCES FROM
ANOTHER STATE
BE RECOGNIZED

(By The Associated Press)
COLUMBIA, S. C., Mar. 16.—A divorce granted in another state must be recognized by the South Carolina courts, the Supreme Court held today in reversing a decision of Judge Goo, B. F. Goo. In the Greenville Circuit Court annulling the marriage of Chester M. Goodyear, Jr., of Greenville, to Nina T. Reynolds Goodyear. The court held that Mrs. Goodyear was a bona fide resident of Georgia when she obtained a divorce from Sam W. Reynolds in that state.

South Carolina courts cannot grant divorces.

SITS IN CHAIR,
LOOKS IN MIRROR,
SLASHES THROAT

(By The Associated Press)
STAUNTON, Va., March 16.—Taking a glass, a rocking chair and butcher knife with her to an outhouse at her home near Mount Sidney, Mrs. Noah J. Boyers, 45 years old, made a desperate attempt to take her own life today. Tonight her condition was reported as being critical, her physician stating that even if she lived through the night, pneumonia was very likely to develop.

While no one saw her attempt to commit suicide, it is presumed she sat in her chair, held the mirror in front and drew the butcher knife across her throat. The result was a ghastly looking wound.

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the tenets
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PAINTING HELD
A SACRILEGE

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Mar. 16.—Holding that the J. Francois Kaufmann Painting, "father forgive them for they know not what they do," now hanging in the Society of Independent Artists' Exhibition, outrages public decency, Magistrate Rittenbaum, today held Abraham Baylinson, secretary of the society in \$25 bail for trial.

The painting depicts William Jennings Bryan spilling wine which Christ has just changed from water while Andrew J. Volstead, author of the federal prohibition enforcement act, and William H. Anderson, New York superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League look on.

The obvious purpose of the painting, Judge Rittenbaum said, is to indicate that the miracle of changing water to wine, if performed in this day, would constitute a violation of the Volstead Act. Volstead apparently is placing Christ under arrest, or holding him up to scorn or ridicule for making the wine.

"Though the painting certainly is sacrilegious there is no provision in the penal law making sacrilege punishable. However, in my opinion the offense is covered by the penal law section which says that a person who wilfully outrages public decency is guilty of a misdemeanor."

Baylinson's counsel submitted a brief as follows:

"Christ is shown after he has transformed the water into wine, so that those present at the wedding feast might partake of the wine and rejoice accordingly. The deliberate spilling of the wine with the approval of Messrs. Volstead and Anderson and the consequent interference with the purpose of the miracle is intended by the artist to emphasize the fanaticism of these gentlemen in their zeal for the cause of universal prohibition."

The painting is a protest of an indignant Christian shocked at the impiety of politicians in their attempt to undo the work of Christ by undoing the gift he has made to man for the times of their festivity and rejoicing."

SEN. WHEELER
LEAVES ON HIS
TRIP TO RUSSIA

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Mar. 16.—Senator Wheeler, of Montana, who was elected last fall on the Democratic ticket with Non-Partisan League support and has since allied himself with the Progressive bloc in Congress, left Washington today on the first leg of a journey to Russia. He will sail from New York later in the week with Mrs. Wheeler on the "President Roosevelt."

Senator Wheeler purposes to investigate particularly the Russian co-operative societies but also will study agricultural co-operative organization in other countries of Europe during the next three or four months.

NO DISCRIMINATORY
PRACTICES INDICATED

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Mar. 16.—Information reaching the State Department, presumably as a result of its investigation of complaints from American importers regarding the holding up of orders placed with German concerns in the Ruhr, said to have been caused by export taxes levied by the French occupation forces, will indicate and disprove discriminatory practices on the part of the French authorities directed at American commerce.

It was revealed today that the reports received by the department gave officials every reason to believe the French were disposed to accommodate international commerce in the Ruhr.

PASSAIC'S WONDER TEAM AND COACH
WHO PERFORMS BASKETBALL MIRACLESIrish Free State
Government Now
Very Optimistic

DUBLIN, Mar. 16.—On the eve of St. Patrick's Day attention is naturally being directed here to the status of the conflict between the Irish Free State and the irreconcilable Republican element and the outlook for peace.

Up to this date all rumors of peace have been unfounded. The fight is still apparently as active as ever and the opponents of the government continue to claim that they are winning but the recent captures of important Republican leaders in Ireland, followed by the wholesale cornering of their friends in Great Britain have evidently weakened the Republican resistance.

Publication from time to time of Eamon De Valera's captured correspondence reveals him in a despondent mood. As the Republican ranks thin out, the fight is becoming less of a military adventure and more in the nature of a general attack on all property, the idea apparently being that, as the government will have to pay compensation for such losses, these exploits will lead it to bankruptcy.

Hence, houses are burned which belong to men unconnected with politics and of no importance to the Free State ranks. Their mansions, however, are big enough to swell the bill.

The government was never more optimistic than at present, and its members never more determined to suppress the armed opposition. The claim is that they do not make war on man's opinion unless he backs it with the gun or petrol but that against violence, whether directed at officials, troops or private individuals, the government is inexorable.

The captures in England and Scotland appear to have offered the Republicans an opportunity for propaganda, as showing the willingness of the Free State government to invite the British air and employ British police acting under the British statutes to aid their active forces.

The government, however, is indifferent to argumentative attack from the Republicans. The ministers conceive that their job is to save the Free State, and they have abandoned altogether the conciliatory attempts made last year to retain or win the support of Republicans. Their drastic action not confined to imprisonment and execution of Irish; wherever disorders exists throughout the country, counter measures are taken.

For instance, many farmers have taken advantage of present conditions to seize other people's land, and in frequent cases use other people's grazing ranches on which to pasture their cattle without cost. In these cases the government has promptly seized and sold the cattle, the sums realized being used as compensation for the landlords and others whose fields were invaded.

A measure just passed by the Dail Eireann, gives widest powers to the sheriff in the enforcement of debts for debts. This will immediately have the effect of enabling shopkeepers to collect money long due and what is perhaps of more immediate concern to the government will greatly facilitate the collection of taxes.

There is no doubt in the minds of disinterested observers that the government is governing and some of those persons who once thought it too quiescent are now complaining that its attitude is too stiff.

Numerous peace terms are constantly being organized, but the government turns them all down and insists that its own terms—the unconditional surrender of all arms—are the most to which it will ever agree.

An influential move was recently in progress in Munster, headed by the Archbishop of Cassel. Its idea was an immediate truce until after a general election, and the dumping in safe custody of all the Republican arms under a pledge to hand them over to whatever government the Irish people then elected. It was claimed this would secure, some time this year, realization of the principles contended for by the government and meanwhile save the faces of the irregulars.

But before the irregulars had time to answer the Archbishop, the government turned down the proposals.

As it is believed no other project has any better chance of acceptance the telling in well informed quarters is that the fight must go to the finish and that the final will be soon.

AMUSEMENT PLACES IN
DUBLIN TO BE CLOSED

(By The Associated Press)
DUBLIN, Mar. 16.—It was authoritatively announced at mid-night tonight that all places of amusement in Dublin would be open as usual from Friday night and that the Mike McGuire—"Battling" Siki fight would take place on St. Patrick's Day as arranged.

FILES PLEA OF
JUSTIFICATION

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Mar. 16.—Representative Collins of Mississippi today filed a plea of justification in his defense of the auto, alleging that he brought against him by the Rev. James E. Arnold, of Union, Miss., who asked \$130,000 damages. Representative Collins contended that it was his duty during a primary election campaign in which he was opposed by Mrs. Arnold to acquaint the voters of the district with records which purported to show that his opponents husband was dead.

Rev. Mr. Arnold, who is a missionary among the Choctaw Indians in Mississippi, in his suit named F. J. McKinley, special agent in charge of Choctaw Indians in that state and Thomas J. Scott, his chief clerk, as co-defendant with Mr. Collins. He charged that they entered in a conspiracy to formulate the alleged statements and published them late in the campaign he was unable to contradict them before the election in which his wife was defeated.

WOMEN CHEAPEN
BY APING MALE

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Mar. 16.—Women are weakening and cheapening themselves in masculine pursuits. Dr. Arthur Holmes, professor of psychology at the University of Pennsylvania, said in a speech here today. He expressed himself as opposed, as an educator, to anything in which woman appeared as an imitator of man, including such things as rifle range practice, boxing and basketball.

"You hear a great deal about the emancipation of woman, nowadays," said Dr. Holmes. "I for one am for it. I wish she would emancipate herself from a lot of her foolish positions. I am for her to go on long for the day when she will be 'free' from her present obsession to imitate man in everything, and return to her occupation of being feminine, the sphere where she belongs and where she can have all the liberty she pleases."

"However, if women must fight, let them use the original weapons which were the birthright of Mother Eve. They are dangerous enough and women can do more damage by shooting glances out of their eyes than by playing with long ranges rifles. Women want to be original, and by all means let them be so. They are not original in making absurd attempts to do the things that men do."

"As an educator and psychologist I seriously affirm that if women continue in their present endeavors to imitate men, wearing men's clothes, training in men's military camps, playing men's games and parting their short hair on the left side, they will ultimately weaken and cheapen the sex. Women after all, have the good opinion of men, and there is no better way to bring that about than for them to be as feminine as possible."

"Basketball is the worst game ever invented for the growing girl, aside from its masculine qualities. It is hard enough for men. Women are better off playing solitaire or bridge."

The friends of Mrs. John Miller of Richmond, will be glad to know she is doing nicely after an operation for an acute attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. Lena Reagan, who fell while on a visit to Rocky Mount and sprained her ankle, has returned home, and is still suffering very much.

Miss Eula Jordan, of Roanoke, is able to return to her home after having had her tonsils and adenoids removed.

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SHIPPIERS END SESSION

(By The Associated Press)
ROANOKE, Va., Mar. 16.—The Virginia Federation of Co-operative Livestock Shippers, wound up their two

sessions here this afternoon by a visit to the union stockyards where methods of handling all kinds of stock were demonstrated. Several hours were spent profitably by the dele-

gates. The final session of the shippers took place this afternoon in the Association of Commerce. During the closing hours many technical matters were discussed.

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(Special to The Bee.)
OMAHA, Neb., March 17.—Almost every evening Jack Knight climbs into his plane and floats skyward. Then he cruises along with the big red moon above and the sleeping world below him.

Knight, called the ace of mail pilots, has been assigned to learn all he can about flying at night—honor of aviators in the past. He has been released from regular duty that he may have time for experimenting.

This work is preparatory to the establishment of continuous trans-continental mail service in which night-flying will play a big part.

Post-War Hero.
Knight was bitterly disappointed because he was kept during the war at a southern field teaching army pilots how to fly instead of himself being sent overseas.

But when the war was over—Knight saved the lives of three by his spectacular "serum flight" in 1920 when he rushed a special serum from Urbana, Ill., to New York after the tetrodoline poisoning scare.

Later flying at night over territory which he had not even traversed before, he was the first to volunteer over sea the first continuous trans-continental trip with the air mail from "falling down" in the spring of 1921. He flew in the darkness from North Platte, Neb., to Chicago.

Mrs. Knight, daughter of a Grand Rapids (Mich.) clergyman, has 300 hours in the air to her credit and is just enthusiastic over aviation as her husband.

"I wouldn't have my husband in any other line of work for all the world," she says. "I never worry over him when he is flying. I just wish that I could be along."

ROCKY MOUNT NEWS

ROCKY MOUNT, Va., March 16.—The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. C. J. Davis on Claiborne Avenue. The feature of the meeting was the election of officers for the ensuing year, as follows: president, Mrs. R. L. McNeil, vice-president, Mrs. C. K. Hobbs, secretary, Mrs. Garrett, treasurer, Mrs. Zula P. Pease, president of the Y. W. A., Mrs. Salee Hudson, leader of the Girl's Auxiliary, Mrs. F. G. Pease, Correspondent, Mrs. G. T. Frazer, counselor of the Royal Princesses, Mrs. Irene Brugh and leader of the Sun Beams, Mrs. C. K. Hobbs.

Following the regular routine of business of this society, the Ladies Aid Society of this church met with Mrs. Irene Brugh, Pres., presiding. There was a good attendance.

The Woman's Missionary Society of Scott Memorial Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon in the society hall in the home of Mrs. N. P. Angle on Cleopatra Avenue, with a good attendance. Mrs. W. C. McNeef and Mrs. C. L. Hunt were hostesses. Mrs. W. C. McNeef, in the absence of the president, Mrs. Starkie Jeff, presided. Delightful refreshments were served.

The Young Woman's Missionary Society of Scott Memorial Methodist church met Monday afternoon with the Rev. and Mrs. Starkie Jeff, in the Parsonage, with Miss Una Wimbish, president presiding. Miss Dora Scott gave an interesting talk on Dr. Young J. Allen, and Miss Dora Scott read a paper on Laura L. Hargood. The devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. W. C. McNeef and the Rev. Starkie Jeff. At the adjournment of the meeting an enjoyable social hour was spent, in which a contest was given. Miss Annie B. Vial and Miss Dora Scott trying for the first prize, a cutting for it. Miss Scott was successful. Miss Esther Scott won the booby prize.

A delectable salad course was served by Mrs. Jeff, assisted by Mrs. Bowen. The entertainment will be held in April, with Mrs. W. C. McNeef presiding.

Miss Mattie McNeef with Miss Jean McNeef were in Roanoke, the first of the week, shopping.

Mrs. J. W. Wimbish left for Stuart Wednesday, to visit her son, Mr. H. Lee Wimbish, who is recovering from a serious illness.

Miss Garnet Morris, and Miss Blanche Garrett have returned from a pleasant visit to Roanoke.

Mr. J. B. Morris, with little daughter, Sallie Kate, and son, Hubert are in Roanoke.

Mrs. C. S. Greer is in Martinsville. Due to the splendid co-operation from our customers, for which we are truly thankful, our business has grown rapidly in the last three years.

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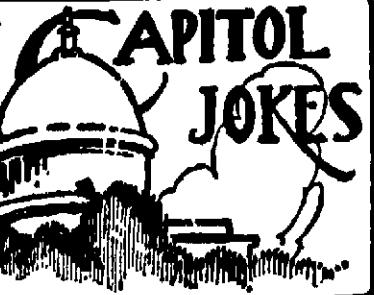
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Here Y'Are—King Tut Stockings



Three New York girls are shown wearing stockings of a design that might have been worn by maidens of King Tut's days. The girls, left to right, are Anna Dillard, Caroline Kissell and Sallie Bocht.



By JAMES T. BEGG
U. S. Representative From Ohio,
Thirteenth District.

A negro down in Alabama was arrested by a colored constable and brought before a black justice of the peace.

The justice couldn't read or write, but he frowned portentously at the culprit, and, turning the pages of a fat volume no his desk, said:

"Nigga, dis yere is de statutes de state of Alabama and I mon' frol it till I finds de bigges' fine in such cases made an' provided. An I'm goin' charge you dat fine."

He ruffled the pages slowly and eventually announced:

"Dis yere 'o' fines you seventeen dollars and a half."

The defendant paid the fine and started to walk out, when the constable whispered to him:

"Nigga, you done foolish. You could 'a' argued him down to two dollars an' a quatta."

"I know my business," replied the other. "I kin read an' write an' I knows dat wasn't no statutes of Alabama. Dat was a small ordn catalogue. An' the judge was foolin' around in the lawns section when he fines me. If I'd 'a' argued, the chances is he'd 'a' done it in ovah to de automobile section."

Majority Rule in Ireland Now Safe
Avers Fitzgerald

BY DESMOND FITZGERALD.

DUBLIN, Mar. 16.—Ireland has been made safe for majority rule. That is one of the happy aspects of a year which has involved bitter decisions and unnecessary bloodshed in Ireland. With her elected Legislature controlling for the first time her own army, police, finance and law courts Ireland is recovering something of the enthusiasm for the new era which the actions of Mr. De Valera's followers had checked when the result of the Anglo-Irish negotiations was declared. It is more and more simple, practical, seeking to serve and build up a state north of the ideals of all the men who died for Ireland.

Today the Irish Government is stronger than at any time since its establishment. Steady progress has been made in every department. The elimination of the irregulars as a military factor increases daily the momentum of governmental development.

The revolt no longer attempts to maintain a military appearance. It has degenerated into a group of scattered gangster individuals and unregistered houses and towns. The mass of the people have not been moved from allegiance to the Government which they themselves elected.

People here bear with amazement some of the false or distorted versions of Irish affairs which are given out by the irregulars' missionaries in the United States. They talk of hundreds of thousands of Republicans in arms against the Free State, they declare the Army is full of Black and Tan, they depict the Irish as savages disposed to a life of cruelty.

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The firmness of the Irish Government has already had good effects. Sovereignty of popular rule is safe in their hands.

PRICES IN ALL LINES
ARE INCREASING SLOWLY

BY J. N. FINE.

ST. LOUIS, Mar. 16.—Prices in all lines from raw materials to finished products are increasing throughout the country, the northeast and southwest but they are increasing so slowly and imperceptibly that the advances are not having a depressing effect on buying. The volume of business is so large and the stimulus of prosperity so great that gradual advances are easily absorbed.

A PUZZLE A DAY

There is a certain number which, multiplied by 3, gives a total made up of the same figure repeated three times. Multiplied by 6, it gives a total composed of another figure three repeated. The same thing will occur if the number is multiplied by 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24 or 27. What is the number?

Yesterday's answer:

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In the above square, formed by the word "VICAR," the five words "VICAR," "IRATE," "CANON," "ATONE" and "RENEW" can be read from left to right and from top to bottom.

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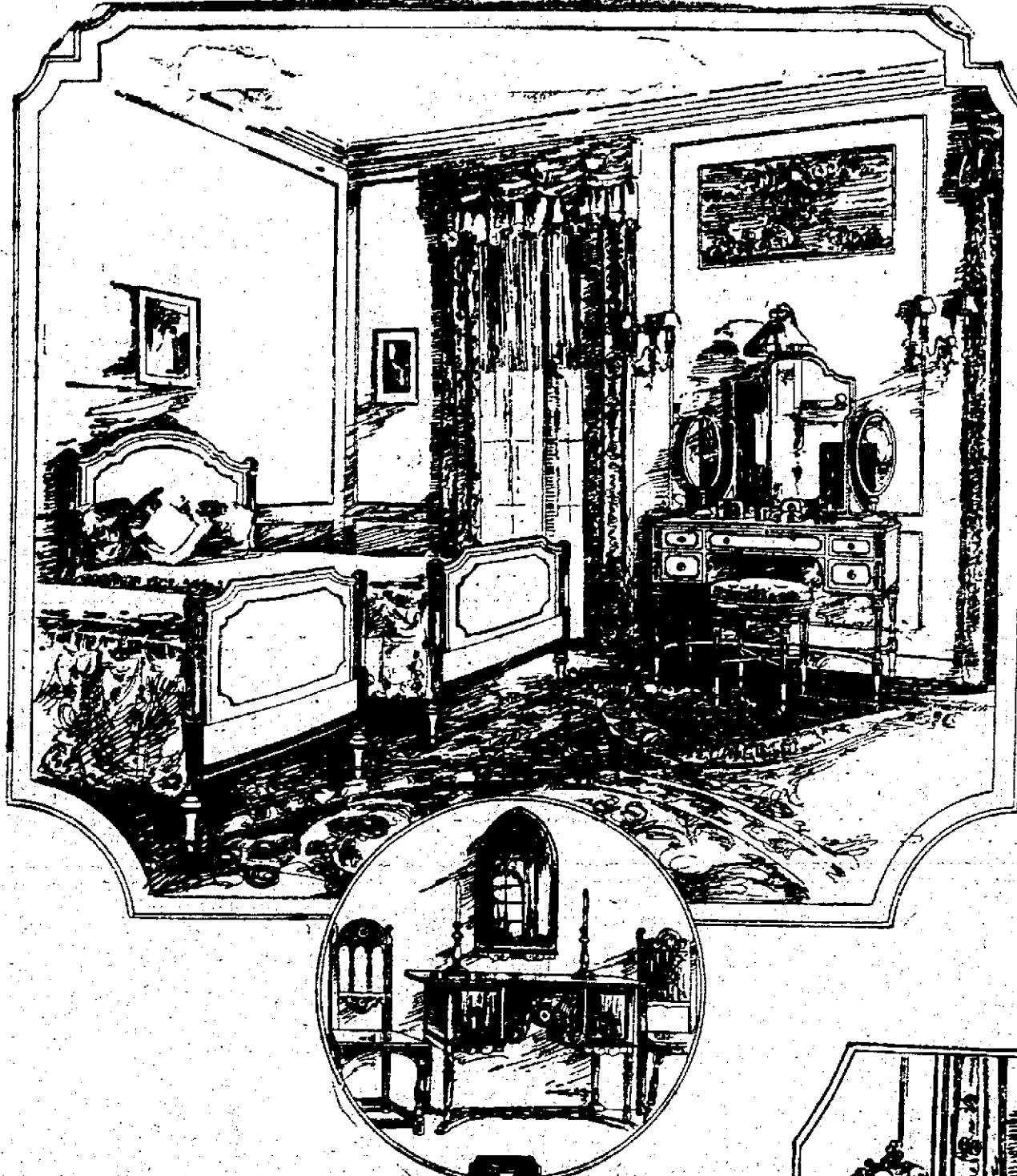
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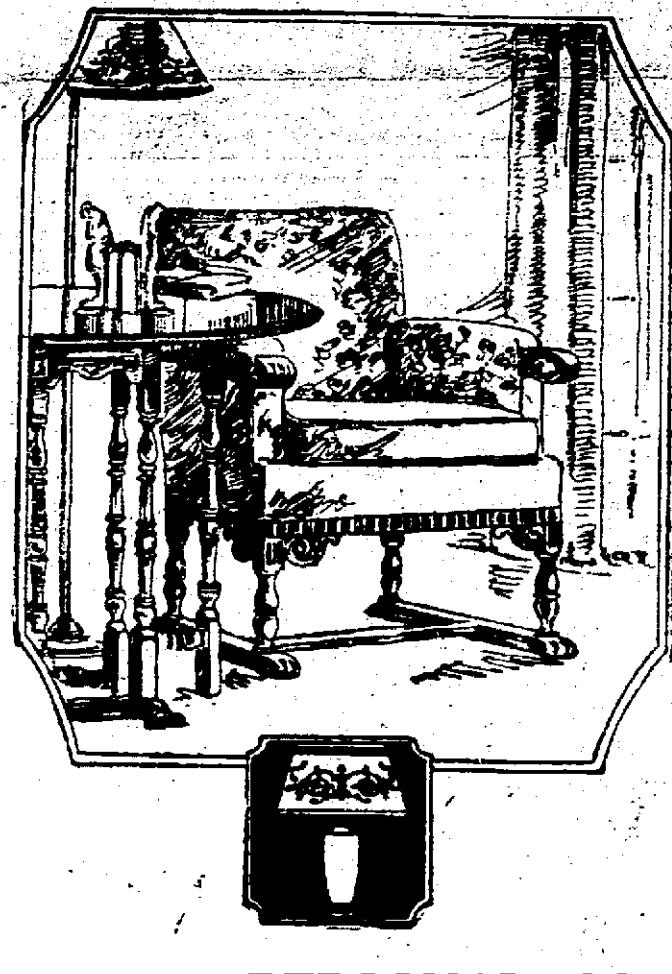
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ALL the world is filled with the spirit of spring! In the home it manifests itself in many ways—a new bedroom suite, some colorful drapes, a glimmering mirror or just a general rearrangement of furniture.



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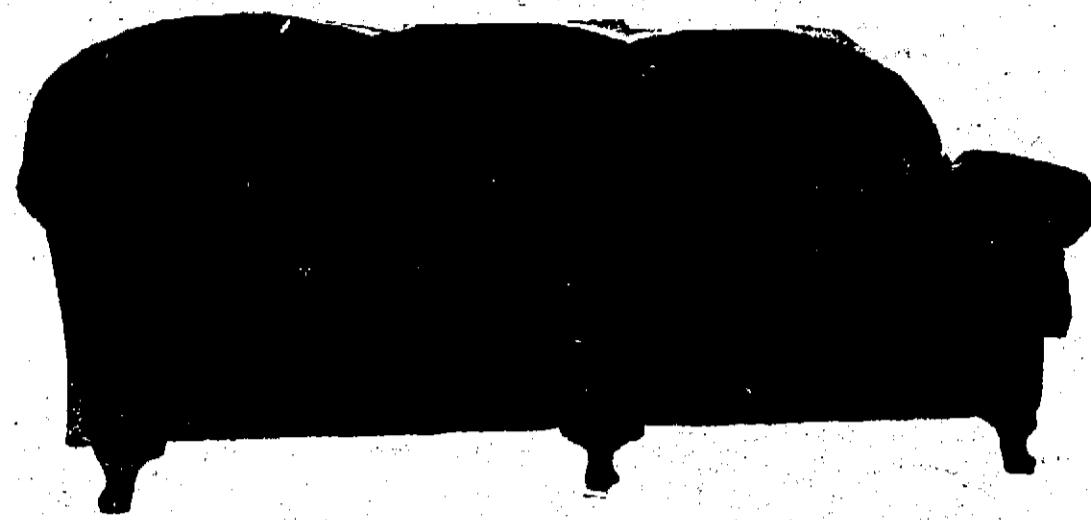


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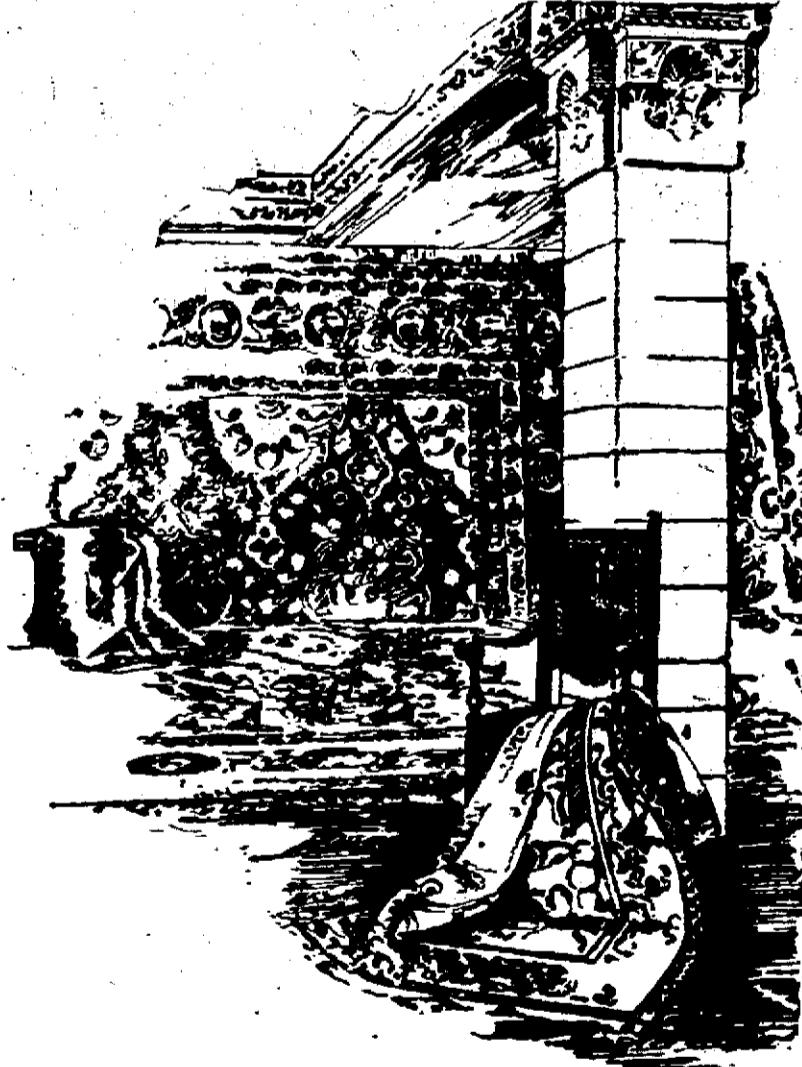
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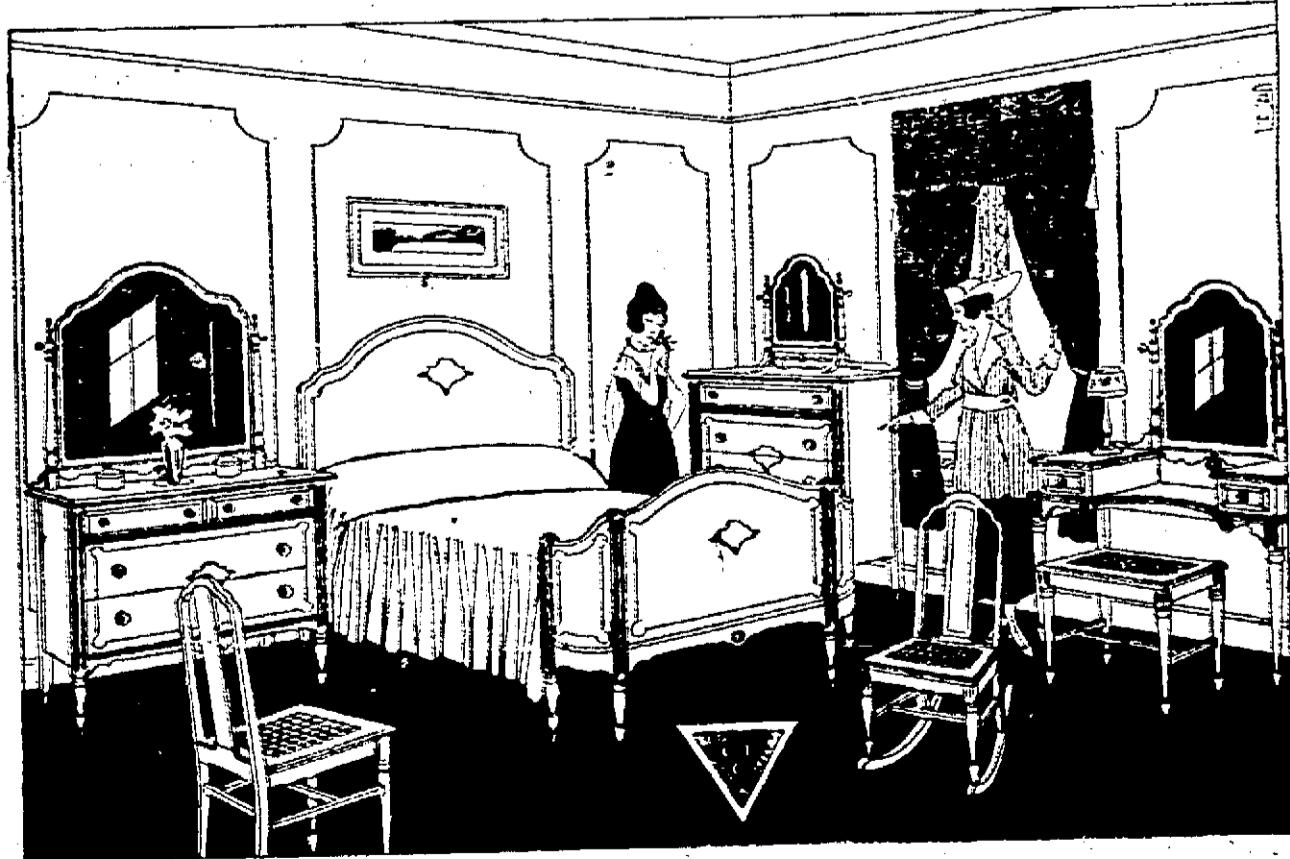
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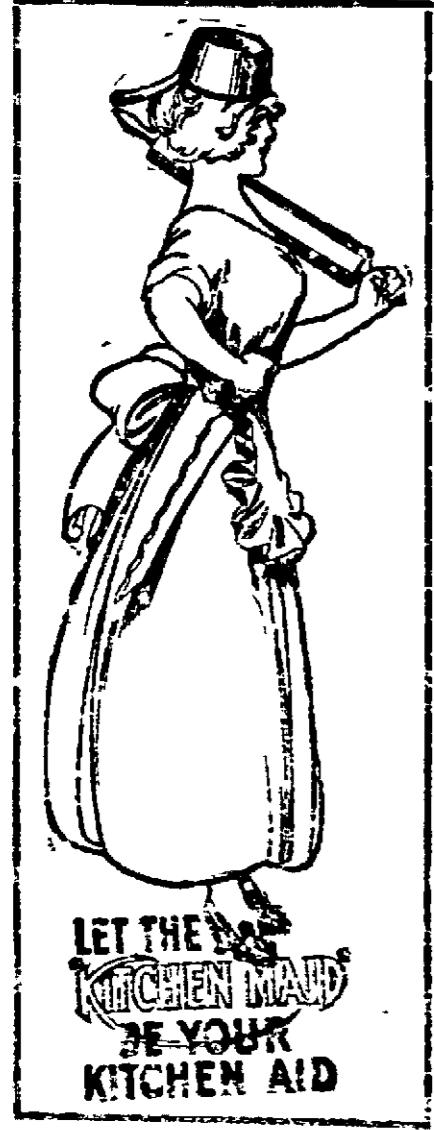
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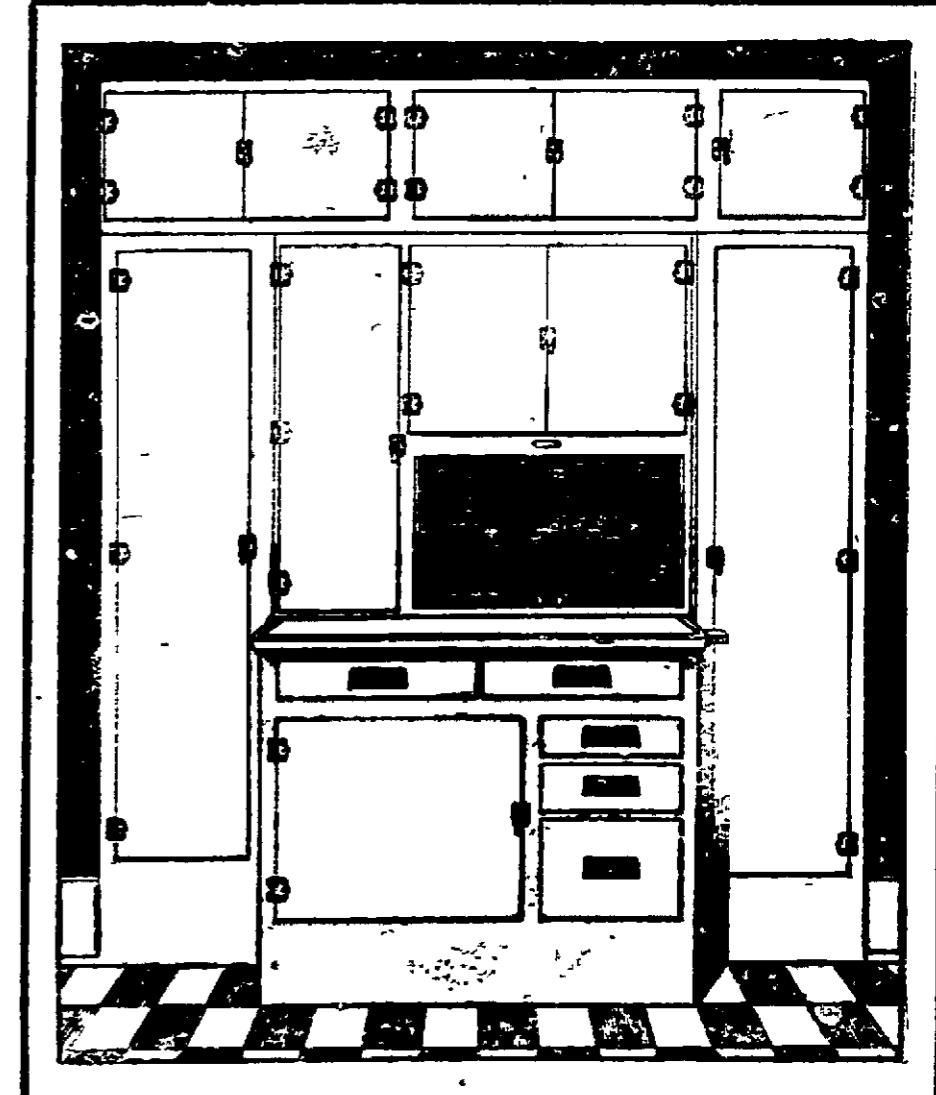


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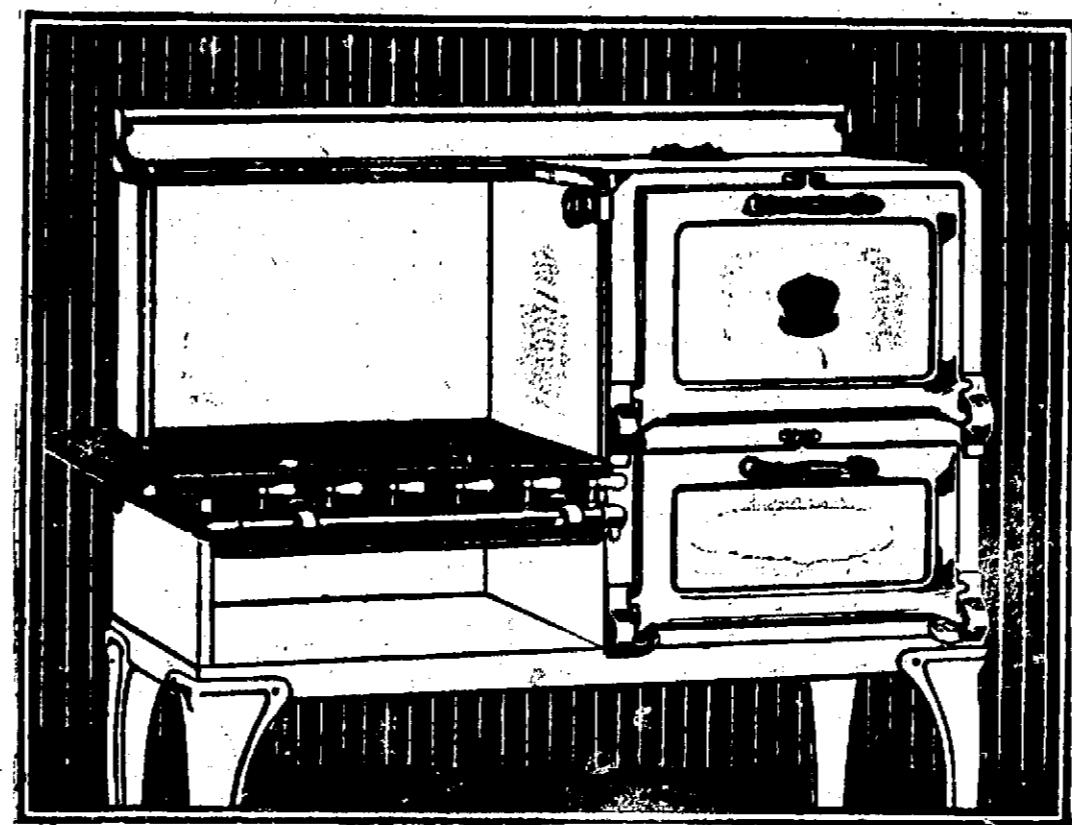
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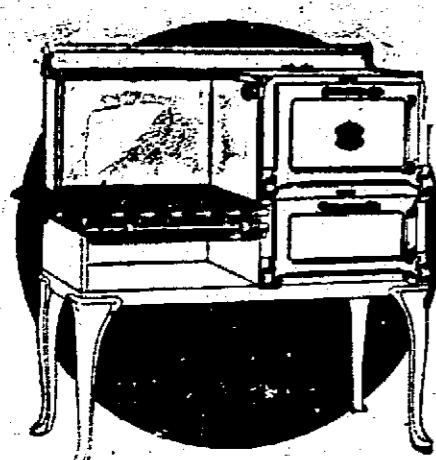
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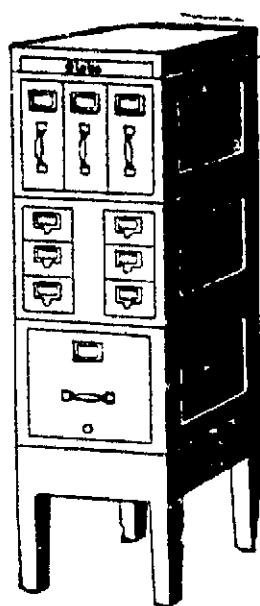
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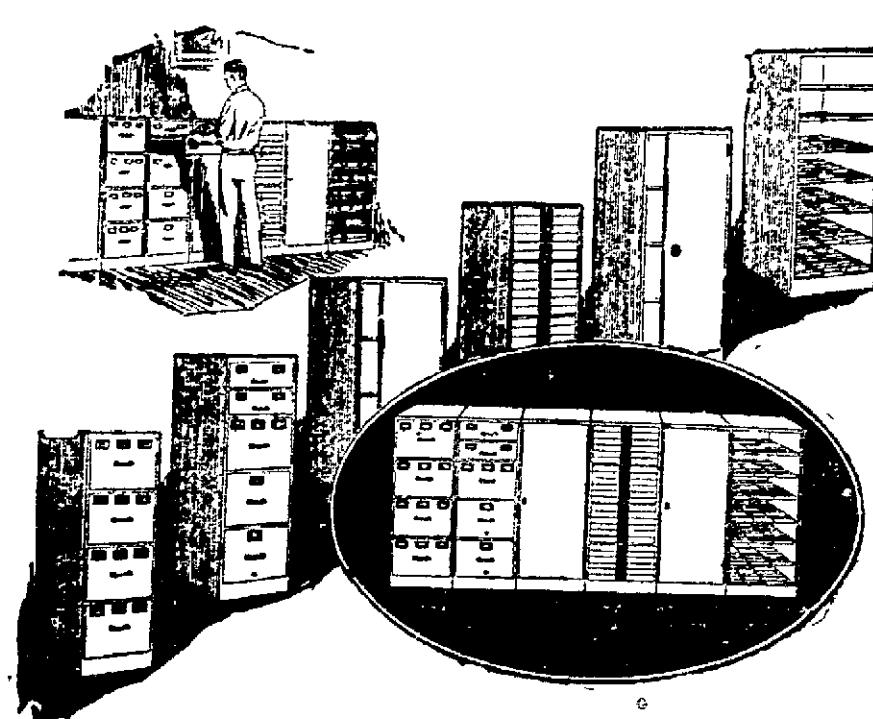


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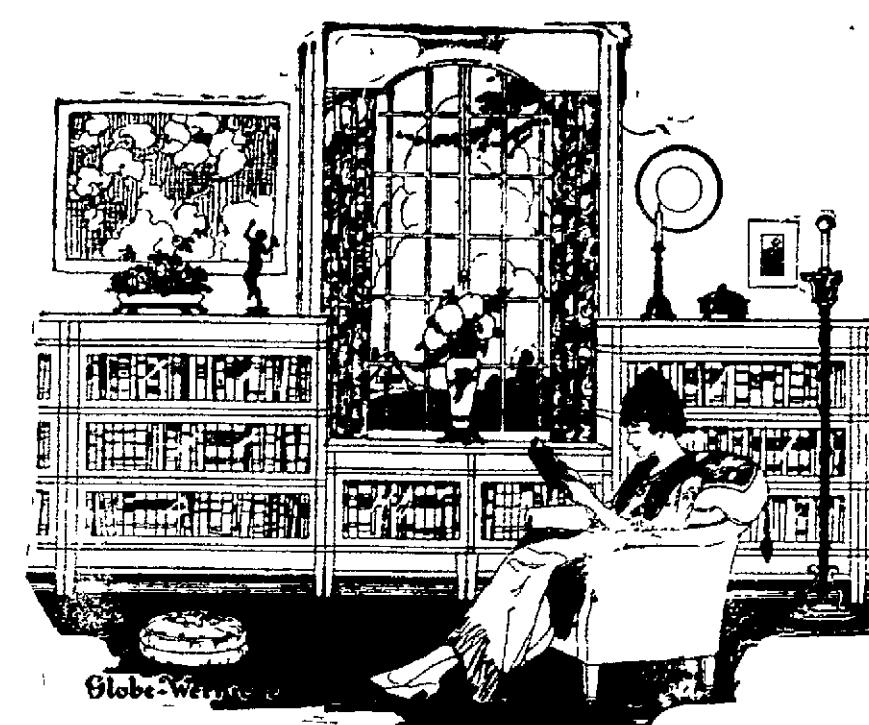
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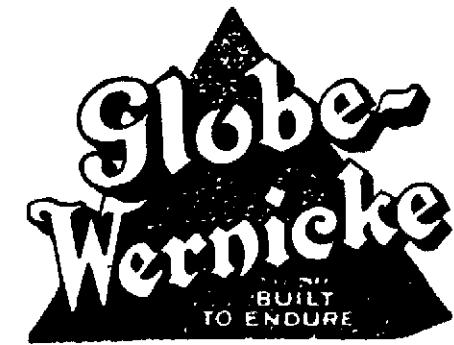
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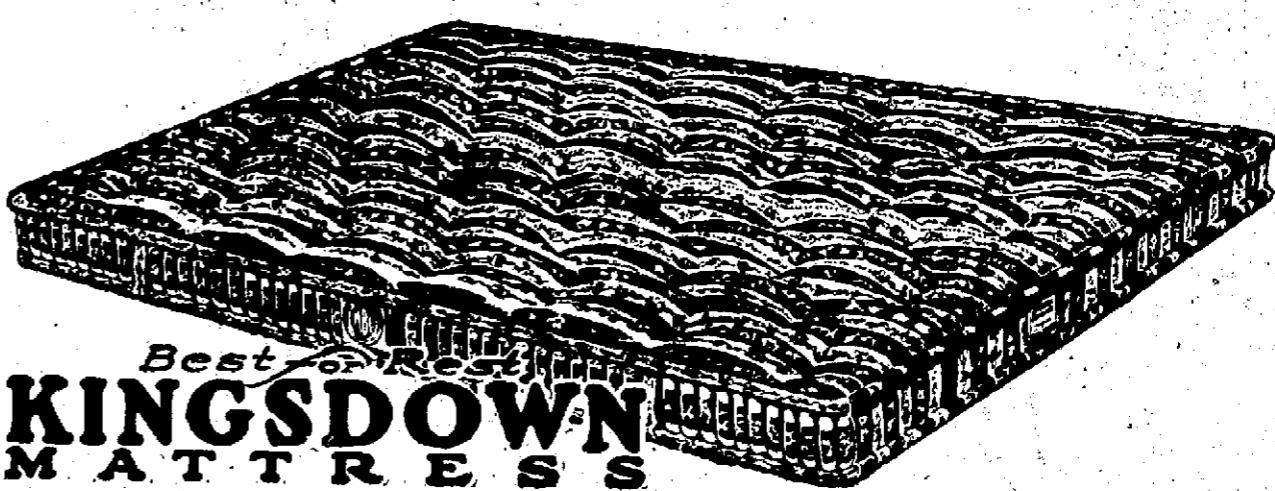
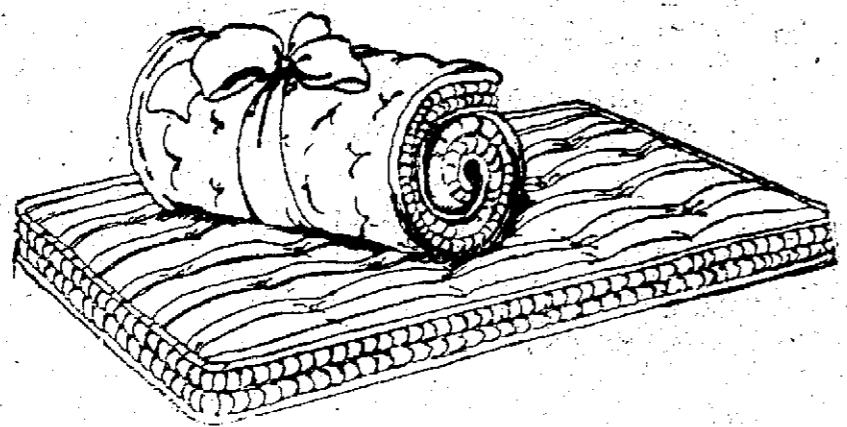
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Do you have trouble in going to sleep? Are you restless? Do you wake often—and do you get up unrefreshed? What a terrific strain on your nerves—what a drain on your reserve strength.

Consider the "Kingsdown Mattress" if you please. It is built on a scientific principle, giving it a softness and buoyancy that allows you to relax—to sleep with both mind and body.

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Get the right kind of sleep—the restful slumber that refreshes and strengthens you—the Mattress must not "sag"—nor should it be unresisting.

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Feel its softness and remember that the "Kingsdown" is built from layers of cotton felt. Its comfort is the kind that lasts.

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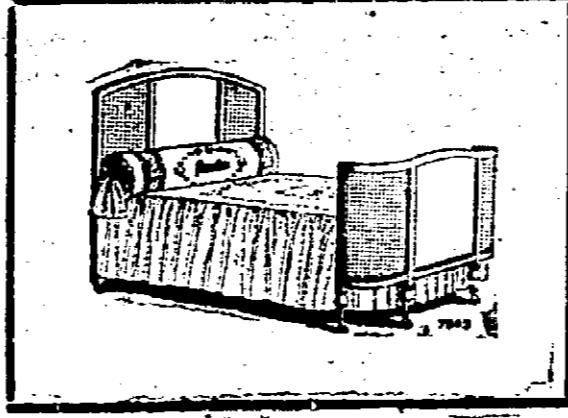
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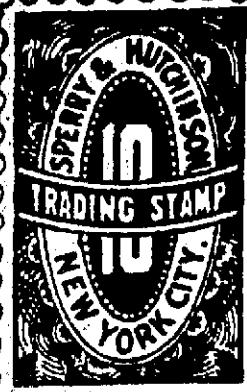


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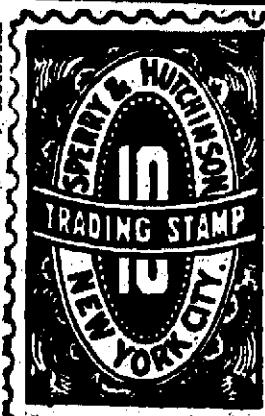
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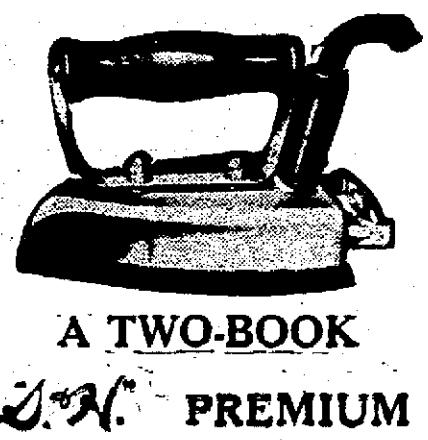
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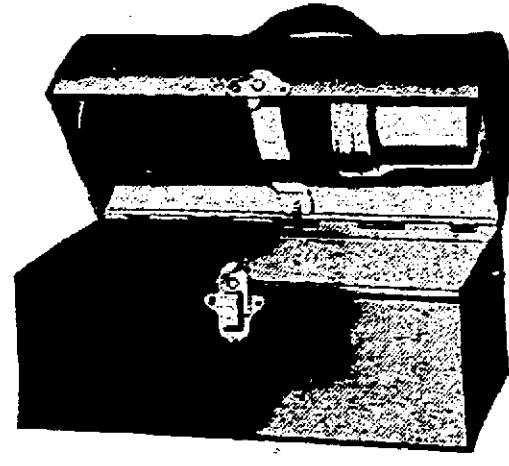


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